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— TO —
D. H. CHANDLER
— AT —
Lancaster Hall, Wednesday Eve'g, Feb. 26.

Tickets $1.00, admitting Gentlemen and Ladies for sale at C. K. Hawes' Music Store, of the committee and at the door. fe24d3t

APRON SALE
— AND —
Antiquarian Supper
— AT —
VESTRY OF WILLISTON CHURCH
Wednesday, Feb. 26th, 1879.

The ladies of Williston Circle will hold an **Apron Sale** from 2 to 5 o'clock P. M., and an **Antiquarian Supper** from 7 to 9 o'clock in the evening. Admission to sale **free**, to supper 25 cents.
feb25 d2t
☞Advertiser Copy.

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Wednesday and Thursday, Feb 26 and 27
ROBINSON CRUSOE
Burlesque and Pantomime Co.,

Jas. S. Maffitt..........................Director.
E. S. Tarr............................Stage Manager.
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There will be a **GRAND CONCERT** given in the

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Corner Cumberland and Casco Streets,
— ON —
THURSDAY EV'NG, 27th INST.,
by the following artists:

MISS ALICE CARLE, Contralto.
MR. W. COLBY, Tenor
MR. FRANK A. BOWDOIN, Baritone.
MR. JOHN L. SHAW, Basso.
MRS. J. L. SHAW, Pianist.

Admission—Adults 25 cts. Children 15 cts. Concert commences at 7½ o'clock. feb25d3t

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35 ARTISTS 35 ARTISTS 35

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feb22 dtd

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References: S. C. Gordon, M. D., C. W. Bray, M. D., J. Swan, M. D., J. H. Kimball, M. D. dec23tf

Lamson
Artist
Photographer
Portland, Me.

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Detective Agency,
CENTENNIAL BLOCK.
dec3 dtf

STEPHEN BERRY,
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Pittee & Doughty

and will carry on business as **Carpenters and Builders,** at

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G. WM. DOUGHTY.
March 11th, 1878. *marll d1y

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CORRESPONDENT,
OFFICE 166 FORE STREET,
Portland.
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COPARTNERSHIP.

Dissolution.

THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned in the Boot and Shoe business, under the firm name of ROBERTS & BURBANK, is this day dissolved by mutual consent.
Said business to be carried on at the same place, **528 Congress Street,** by said Roberts in his own name.
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WARREN BURBANK.
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The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
M. M. BUTLER,
Chairman Committee on Public Buildings.
fe24 d1w

STATE OF MAINE.
TO THE ELECTORS
— OF THE —
City of Portland.

PURSUANT to warrants from the Mayor and Aldermen of the city of Portland the duly qualified Electors of said City are hereby notified to meet in their respective Ward rooms, on

Monday, the third day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon,

then and there to give in their votes for Mayor, one Alderman, three Common Councilmen, a Warden, Clerk and two City Constables, also for one Superintending School Committee in Wards Two, Five, Six and Seven, residents of said Wards, for the ensuing year. The polls on such day of election to remain open until four o'clock in the afternoon, when they shall be closed.
The Aldermen of said city will be in open session at the aldermen's Room, in City Building, from nine to twelve o'clock in the forenoon, and from two to five o'clock in the afternoon on each of the four secular days next preceding such day of election, for the purpose of receiving evidence of the qualification of voters whose names have not been entered on the lists of qualified voters, in and for the several Wards, and for correcting said lists.
Per order H. I. ROBINSON, City Clerk.
feb19 dtd

CITY OF PORTLAND.

To Owners or Occupants of Buildings and Lots on St. John, Bramhall, Walnut and Willis Streets.

NOTICE is hereby given that the above-named streets have, by order of the City Council, been renumbered according to plans in the City Civil Engineer's office, and all parties interested are hereby notified that the numbers so designated must be affixed to the buildings on or before the first day of March next. Per Order, H. I. ROBINSON,
Jan. 10, 1879. City Clerk.
ja11 dtd

ANNUAL MEETINGS.

Portland Mutual Fishing Insurance Company.

THE annual meeting of the Portland Mutual Fishing Insurance Co. will be held SATURDAY, February 28th, at 3 p. m., at the office of E. G. Willard, Commercial wharf. Business—Election of officers. Per order. GEO. W. RICH,
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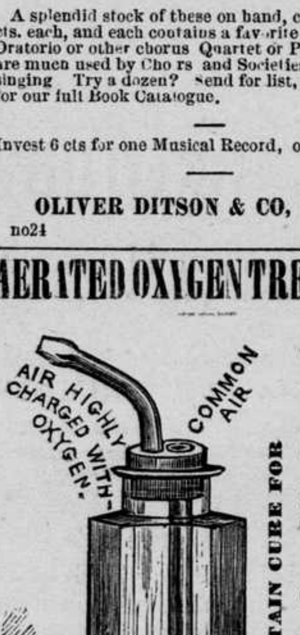

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feb1dtf 554½ Congress Street.

New House For Sale.

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au19eodtf End of Portland Peir.

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ap16eodtf R. M. BARTON.

TO LET

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MARCH 1st, to a small family without children, genteel and convenient tenement on May street, one door from Spring street; also small Kitchen and Bedroom on Middle street
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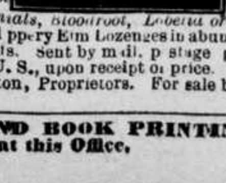

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Mr. Glover, the Great Investigator, has introduced a new method of examining witnesses. He clutches them by the throat, and calls upon them to stand and deliver their testimony.

The Utica *Observer* has interviewed ex-Governor Horatio Seymour, and found him warmly opposed to Chinese immigration, on moral, material, legal, political and vital grounds. He holds that if the question of its prohibition be not settled peaceably now it will necessarily be settled forcibly hereafter.

A correspondent of the New York *Herald*, who has recently interviewed Mr. McCullagh of the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, finds abundant belief that General Grant will have a very strong support from the press and people of the Western States, if he is nominated for a third term. Mr. McCullagh says he regards Grant's nomination as a certainty, if he is alive; and that no other man can be selected by the Republican party.

We ought to be very grateful for the solicitude expressed by the *Argus*. It is always moaning because the Press has made some grievous mistakes in policy, or said some low thing, and is, just now, in danger of worrying itself sick. It should be careful how it lets its sympathies get the better of its discretion. Above all it should not fatigue itself. It has not been robust of late years, and any great exertion is liable to result in serious consequences.

One of the sweetest things in literature is the ardent pursuit of the Greenback vote by the *Argus*. In the warmth of its wooing it displays more than the usual lavishnesss of lovers, and stoops very low indeed to conquer. Its unfortunate passion is likely to get it into trouble, for some of its subscribers who pride themselves on being Democrats, complain bitterly of its "spooning" and characterize its course in language which is certainly forcible if not polite—language indeed which is too broad for the columns even of the *Argus*.

White women receiving charity from Chinamen was the singular spectacle witnessed in San Francisco the recent Chinese New Year's Day. It is a custom with the Chinamen on that holiday to show their liberality and win favor with their gods by wrapping five and ten cent coins in red paper and giving them to the poor who solicit help. A number of Italian women, becoming aware of this custom, made complete tours of Chinatown on New Year's Day, and called at every Mongolian shop in the quarter. They reaped a bountiful harvest.

Another planet has just been discovered. Polisa, of Berlin, is the detective this time that is to be credited with the honor of bringing to light and to catalogue a body which has hitherto managed to keep out of the way of the keenest telescope. It is of the eleventh magnitude, and is situated in Leo. This completes a list of 192 known asteroids between Mars and Jupiter. When 99 were found a reward was offered for the discovery of the next one. According to the Rochester *Union*, Professor Swift, of that city, the well known star-gazer and star-hunter, expects that a reward will now be offered for the discovery of the one that will fill out the number to 200.

There has been no severer indictment of Tilden's fitness for the high office which he so fervently declared before God and the country he had lost through fraud than the following from the Utica *Herald*: "We cannot escape from the fact that he declared before the Potter sub-committee, while declining to justify the conduct of his nephew Pelton, that 'his error was excusable.' Mr. Tilden was burning with indignation over frauds he imagined and declared to have been committed on the other side; but when pressed by the committee to say whether he had any personal knowledge of the frauds he alleged, he was compelled to admit that he had none. Thus denouncing imagined frauds, he declared in the same breath that the glaring attempts to buy electors, proved and confessed and spread before the country in every naked detail, were excusable."

The present industrial distress in England is almost without parallel in former years. Not even during the Crimean war was there the distress among the people of Birmingham that there is now. At the middle of January out of a population of 300,000, 39,000 were receiving assistance from a town fund raised by voluntary subscription. One cause for the destitution and suffering is the unusually severe weather. For more than a month the extreme cold has stopped almost all out-door work. In places near Birmingham, as at Wolverhampton and Manchester, the general distress is much worse, and it seems as if many must perish before the return of better times. While destitution and suffering are spreading elsewhere, these are 50,000 laborers on a strike in Liverpool. The Lord Provost of Glasgow reported three weeks ago that 25,000 persons in that city were destitute.

The fear of the plague which is raging in Russia has extended pretty much all over the Turkish provinces and Servia. Along the entire German border which joins Russia and throughout Hungary and Austria the alarm is far from being abated. France, England, Portugal and Spain are as yet not much disturbed by the alarm. The degree of fear which exists in Germany is shown by the official decree published in Berlin, which ordains that, until further notice, travellers from Russia will only be permitted to cross the frontier on producing a passport endorsed by the German Ambassador at St. Petersburg, or by some German Consular authority in Russia, the same only to be granted on the traveller showing that for twenty days previously he has not resided in any district affected or suspected of the pest. In addition the traveling effects and clothing of those who belong to affected districts will have to be subjected to a process of disinfection by the fumes of sulphur before they are permitted to cross the border into Germany.

Light for the Sick-Room.—A kerosene lamp is not a suitable light for the sick-room, for it should never be turned down low, on account of the disagreeable odor which results. A scientific man once said, "There is nothing in the world that will produce diphtheria sooner than a bad kerosene lamp." Be that as it may, if your kerosene lamp emits a disagreeable smell, it shows that something is wrong—the oil may be of an inferior quality, the burner may be poor, or it is clogged up, or the wick needs to be evenly trimmed.—*Harper's Bazar*

A Santa Fe, New Mexico, special says that there is trouble in Lincoln county. H. I. Champman, a lawyer, the head of the Mc Sweeney faction was shot and instantly killed in front of the court house at Lincoln, on the 19th.

Napoleon and Moscow.

It had been prophesied that Russia could not successfully resist Napoleon's attack, even when a much less overwhelming invasion had been contemplated than had now taken place. And these prophecies had come true. The Russians had given up one position after another, had been defeated in the field, and finally had lost their capital. Only one anticipation had remained unrealized. The Russians had refused to acknowledge themselves vanquished by signing a treaty of peace. The armies still kept the field, and a Landwehr had been set on foot. So far Napoleon's success had fallen short of his expectations, as it had likewise been unable to quell the national resistance. It was possible that this obstinacy might so far embarrass Napoleon as to oblige him to give up the capital again, to repass Smolensk and continue the war in a position nearer to his own frontier. But as this frontier was not, as we are apt to imagine, the frontier of France, but that of Prussia and the Duchy of Warsaw, his position with respect to the enemy would still be one of enormous superiority. That he would remain at Moscow too long and expose his army to a Russian winter, which might no doubt cause him serious losses, was surely not to be imagined. A leader of his experience would be in no danger of such a miscalculation and even a leader accustomed to strokes of audacity would, when responsible for so vast an army, be awed into prudence. And thus the firmness of the Russian Czar and nation might be expected only to prolong the war, to give Napoleon such a check as he had received in Spain to compel him to adopt other means for quelling their resistance, but by no means, to cause him any serious disaster, much less such a disaster as might shake the whole fabric of his power. It would carry us far into the history of France if we should try to explain how it could have happened that such vast destinies should depend upon the clearness of judgment of a single man, so that a fit of rashness and eccentricity in Napoleon should change the face of the world and doom millions to death. It is a less intricate question how Napoleon could be capable of making the mistake he made at Moscow. We are to consider that the course he took might have been completely successful. Alexander's firmness might have yielded after a little delay to the clamors of his brother and the entreaties of his mother. Nothing is more characteristic of Napoleon than his vivid conception of the character of those with whom he had to deal. We may imagine that in his mind it was registered as a certainty that Alexander could not be firm. No doubt another General would not have dreamed of staking the existence even of an ordinary army upon the soundness of an impression of this kind. But Napoleon would not have been what he was if he had not over and over again risked everything to obtain a result that could not be gained by ordinary methods. Such a calculation as he now acted upon had succeeded with him many times before. He ought, indeed, to have known that he was not exempt from failure. His Egyptian failure and his blunder in Spain must have cost him many moments of secret chagrin, but the world had been so blind to all this ill-luck and had so steadily persisted in regarding him as invincible that he may well have come to believe himself so. Meanwhile the scale of his affairs had become so gigantic that a single exception to his usual good fortune might have infinite consequences; the slightest aberration in his mind might be represented by the complete transformation of Europe, just as the infinitesimal displacement of a telescope will make a difference of millions of miles in an astronomical calculation. Thus to explain the largest and most sudden reverse of fortune that the world ever saw we have to put together three conditions each unprecedented. First, the course of French history from Louis XIV., through the Revolution to Napoleon, had produced an intense autocracy, unparalleled in the history of civilized States; second, this autocracy was wielded by one who, by a very peculiar course of life, had been trained to hazardous strokes of policy and strategy, such as are altogether forbidden to ordinary rulers; thirdly, its affairs were on an unprecedented scale of magnitude.—Life and Times of Stein, J. R. Seely.

Anecdotes of Macaulay.

It is one thing to be fond of children and another never to get tired of them; and Macaulay, Hannah says was one of those who never got tired. He often spent the whole morning at her home playing with the children, and then, after luncheon, carried one of them off for a long walk. But the great treats for him, as well as for them, were the excursions into the city to see the shows. These did not come often enough to suit either him or the children—twice a week is said to have been the average he would have liked—and they used to last till the little ones, to use his own expression, "could not drag one leg after the other." The afternoon's diversions began with a bountiful luncheon in London, to which Macaulay always added some knick-knack for which the children had an especial contempt, for the pleasure of seeing them reject it with scorn. The afternoon's sights were the lions and bears, the panoramas and the wax-works, or even the British Museum. One day he tells their mother in a letter how, all the other exhibitions being exhausted, he took the children to the National Gallery, and how, while Charley and Margaret played the connoisseur, Georgy said, honestly, "Let us go; there is nothing here that I care for at all;" and again, "I don't call this seeing sights; I have seen no sight today." All of which seems to have amused Macaulay greatly. The elaborate process of sending a valentine to his little niece Alice is recorded at length in his diary. February 12 he buys a superb sheet of paper and writes the valentine. February 13 he sends it off to his sister Fanny at Brighton to be forwarded. February 14 the whole entry of the day is about the valentine; how Fanny came at three with the children, Alice in perfect raptures, and begging quite pathetically to be told the truth about it. When they were alone together she said—the little witch—she was going to be very serious, and down she goes on her knees, lifting up her hands in supplication: "Dear Uncle, do tell the truth to your little girl. Did you send the valentine?" And then he had to own it. Macaulay would do almost anything to please his favorites; he even tried to like their dog, and dogs he was not fond of. In one place in his diary he denounces the animal as "a beast that is always spoiling conversation." But when the dog was a pet of the children, that was another matter, and he bought things for it at the shops, and made poetry about it to an extent which made the children happy, if it had no particular effect upon the dog. When he was busy upon the second installment of his history, he would spend some precious time inserting a gold piece in the seal of a letter to his nephew George, so that it might slip past the post office authorities, and would transmit it with the casual remark that while the best part of a lady's letter was in the postscript, the best part of an uncle's was in the seal. One day, coming out from a collection of pictures, he saw a more delightful picture, he says, than any there. It was four pretty little sisters, from about eleven to six years old, riding in a donkey cart in a deep, shady lane, and quite beside themselves with delight at the treat. They were laughing and singing in a way that almost made him cry with a sense of the beautiful, and when he asked them to go on they sang like little larks. Whereupon all the silver he had in his pockets went to buy dolls.—D. D. Lloyd, in Harper's Magazine for March.

On Reading Hume.

After steeping yourself in his life and essays if you have the art of entering for the time into the spirit of your author, you come out decidedly tepid—a kindly cynic—an easy-going Conservative—a skeptic who likes to sacrifice to the decencies—a utilitarian who defers to the high authority of custom, a moderate epicure who is as proud of his cook as he is of his moderation, a scorner of popular passion, a careful apologist for intelligent despotism, with a liking for studious temper, for agreeable vanity, for profound inquisitiveness, and for aimiable and complacent incredulity. "Doctor," Hume said to his physician during his last illness, when that gentleman proposed to tell a friend that his patient was recovering, "as I believe you would not choose to tell anything but the truth, you had better tell him that I am dying as fast as my enemies, if I have any, could wish, and as easily and cheerfully as my best friends could desire." He pleased himself in his last illness with suggesting the excuses he might offer to Charon for delaying the last voyage, and Charon replies: "I thought I might say to him, 'Good Charon, I have been correcting my works for a new edition. Allow me a little time to see how the public receives my alterations.' But Charon would answer, 'When you have seen the effect of them, you will be for making other alterations. There will be no end of such excuses, so, honest friend, please step into the boat.' But I might urge, 'Have a little patience, good Charon, I have been endeavoring to open the eyes of the public. If I live a few years longer I may have the satisfaction of seeing the downfall of the prevailing systems of superstition.' But Charon would then lose all temper and decency—'You loitering rogue, that will not happen these many hundred years. Do you fancy I will grant you a leave for so long a time? Get into the boat this instant, you lazy, loitering rogue.'" This was within a week or two of Hume's death, when he was as certain of the approach of the end as every sign of it could make one whose intelligence was far above any vain clinging to false hopes.—The Spectator.

THE NEWS IN A NUTSHELL.

Two Boston detectives named Cohen and Conway have been arrested for conspiracy to throw a train off the track. They are accused of other serious offences.

Fire on Middle street last night damaged the stock of dry goods of J. H. Rines & Co., over $6000.

The Secretary of the Treasury has issued another call for bonds.

Wooley informed the Potter committee yesterday that he was sick and could not testify. Several other witnesses repeated testimony previously given.

"Two thousand Christian citizens" of San Francisco have petitioned the President to sign the anti-Chinese bill.

The Ameer of Afghanistan is dying.

The revolutionists in Antigua have been defeated in one engagement.

Capt. Blair has been dismissed from the army for bigamy.

The crew of the schooner C. B. Paine of Eastport wrecked on Long Island, are sick from yellow fever and it is feared some will die. The entire crew was stricken with fever when two days out from Hayti and for 27 days the vessel was at the mercy of the waves.

Rev. J. D. Fulten has been expelled from the Baptist ministers' conference of New York.

The funeral of the late Bishop Foley in Baltimore was attended by thousands.

Geo. F. Webb fell dead on Peabody & Co.'s mill pond in Gorham, N. H., yesterday.

The Senate yesterday passed the army appropriation bill with the telegraph clause. The House non-concurred in some and concurred in others of the amendments to the tobacco bill. the House also refused to abolish the tax on matches.

In the Maine Senate yesterday the act to abolish jail inspectors was indefinitely postponed. Resolve to purchase the Maine Year Book passed to be engrossed. The travel of councillors was fixed at $2 for every ten miles one way. Resolve appropriating $1200 for the protection of fish was indefinitely postponed. Act to regulate salaries of public officers passed to be engrossed. Bill taking the savings bank tax from the school fund was indefinitely postponed; also bill to divert the mill tax. In the House an opinion was received from the Supreme Court affirming the constitutionality of the act to appoint commissioners to hear disclosures. The insolvency act was amended. The constitutional amendment providing for biennial elections and sessions of the Legislature passed by a vote of 109 to 21. The majority report (ought not to pass) on the railroad tax bill was accepted. The bill to divert the mill tax was indefinitely postponed in concurrence.

BY TELEGRAPH.

FIFTY-EIGHTH LEGISLATURE

SENATE.

[Special to the Press.]

AUGUSTA, Feb. 24.

INDEFINITELY POSTPONED.

The Senate concurred with the House in indefinitely postponing the following acts:

Relating to scales for weighing coal.

Resolve in aid of roads in Washington and Perkins plantations in the county of Franklin.

Resolve in favor of Eugene Michaud.

TOWN OF GRAFTON.

The committee of conference on disagreeing votes on the resolve in favor of the town of Grafton, reported that they could not agree and that the Senate adhere, and the report was accepted.

INSPECTORS OF PRISONS.

Act abolishing the office of inspector of prisons and jails came up on its passage to be engrossed. Mr. Moody of York moved its indefinite postponement and the Senate so voted, 16 to 6.

FORT KENT.

Resolve in favor of the town of Fort Kent passed to be engrossed by the House, came up on its passage to be engrossed, and was engrossed in concurrence.

PERHAM PLANTATION.

Resolve relating to settling lands in Perham plantation was passed to be engrossed.

ST. JOHN AND ST. FRANCIS RIVERS.

Memorial and resolve in relation to dredging and navigating the rivers St. John and St. Francis were passed to be engrossed.

MAINE YEAR BOOK.

Resolve for the purchase of the Maine State Year Book and Legislative Manual came up on its passage to be engrossed.

Mr. Ellis opposed the resolve and moved its indefinite postponement.

Mr. Vinton favored the resolve and explained that it has become indispensible to the Legislature.

The motion to postpone was lost, 19 to 5, and the resolve was passed to be engrossed.

PISCICULTURE.

The resolve appropriating $1200 for the propagation of fish came from the House indefinitely postponed, and was postponed in concurrence by the Senate.

BRIDGE ACROSS THE ST JOHN.

Bill in aid of building a bridge across the St. John river at Van Buren came from the House refused a passage; the Senate voted to refer the matter to the next Legislature.

MAINE CENTRAL INSTITUTE.

The resolve relating to the Maine Central Institute came from the House referred to the next Legislature. A motion to non-concur was agreed to, 23 to 0. The resolve was then passed to be engrossed.

Afternoon Session.

SALARY BILL.

The bill fixing the compensation and mileage of members of the Senate and House of Representatives, and also of the Executive Council, came up in the Senate and was amended. It gives single mileage to members and also to the Council.

Mr. Morrison of Farmington moved the indefinite postponement of the bill and spoke in favor of the present mileage.

Mr. Patten and Mr. Vinton opposed postponement and advocated the bill.

Mr. Cobb of Androscoggin moved to amend by increasing the salary from $150 to $203. Rejected.

On the indefinite postponement of the bill the yeas and nays were ordered, and the motion was lost, yeas 9, nays 16. The bill was then passed to be engrossed.

NORMAL SCHOOLS.

Mr. Patten of Penobscot presented an act to amend chap. 69 of the public laws of 1878, relating to Normal Schools. This bill provides that $15,000 shall be appropriated annually for the support of Normal Schools.

AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATIONS.

On motion of Mr. Prince of Androscoggin the bill prohibiting appropriations for agricultural purposes was recalled from the House for the purpose of offering amendments.

STATE MILITIA.

The resolve making an appropriation for uniforming the state militia was taken from the table and assigned to tomorrow after the morning hour.

BANK TAX.

The bill for diverting the savings bank tax from the schools and using it for general state purposes, was called up by Mr. Vinton, who moved that it have its two readings at the present time.

Mr. Harris protested against diverting the funds set apart for the schools, from the schools, and criticized severely the action of the Senate in destroying the Free High Schools.

Mr. Vinton advocated the bill and said if this bill can be passed, the mill tax can be saved to the common schools. Mr. Morrison was opposed to this bill, because it provides for a permanent diversion of these funds; he might vote for a suspension for one year. Mr. Vinton said the bill could easily be reported at the end of the year, and showed that the present bill is more simple and better than a rule to suspend. Mr. Bradford of Washington moved the indefinite postponement of the bill and the Senate so ordered, 14 to 12.

THE MILL TAX.

Mr. Harris of Washington called up the school mill tax bill and moved its indefinite postponement. Mr. Vinton moved to amend by providing that one-fourth of the mill tax shall be diverted for state purposes. On the motion to indefinitely postpone the yeas and nays were ordered. Messrs. Bradford of Washington, Ridlon of Oxford, Madigan of Aroostook, opposed the amendment and bill, Messrs. Ellis, Vinton, and Rogers of Sagadahoc favored. The amendment was rejected, 15 to 12, and the bill indefinitely postponed by the same vote. So the Senate refuses to divert any part of the mill tax from the schools.

HOUSE.

OPINION OF THE SUPREME COURT.

The decision of the Supreme Judicial Court on the constitutionality of so much of section 1 of chapter 67 of the Public Laws of 1878, as relates to the appointment of commissioners to hear disclosures. Five Justices—Appleton, Walker Danforth, Peters and Libbey decided that the appointment of such commissioners is constitutional. Justices Virgin and Symonds made a separate argument, but arrived at the same conclusion. Justice Barrows dissents from this conclusion and answers the question negatively.

THREE SESSIONS PER DAY.

An order passed the House providing for three sessions per day, except Tuesday evening.

GLANDERS.

The committee on agriculture reported a bill to amend chapter 14 of the Revised Statutes, to prevent the spread of the disease of glanders among horses.

MILL TAX.

Mr. Pickard introduced a bill to reduce the mill tax to 3 4 of a mill instead of 1 mill, but the House refused to print or consider it.

ENGROSSED.

Bill relating to the disposal of insane criminals; bill relating to suits for taxes; bill providing a process for the removal of unworthy attorneys; bill authorizing the building of a bridge across the waters at North Haven.

INSOLVENCY BILL.

Mr. Moulton of Scarborough called up the bill amendatory of the insolvent act of 1878, and proposed sundry verbal amendments agreed to by the committee. The amendments were explained by Mr. Moulton.

Mr. Brown opposed the amendments, and violently assailed the Insolvency Law of last year.

Messrs. Locke, Weeks, Dodge, Lampson, Jones of Lewiston, Wilson and other gentlemen favored the amendments, and they were adopted,

Mr. Brown presented an amendment repealing the law of 1878. This amendment was rejected—yeas 31, nays 88, and the bill passed to be engrossed.

REPORT OF INSURANCE COMMISSIONER.

An order passed the House providing that the Insurance Commissioners report for next year shall not be printed except in regard to new companies and insolvent companies.

Mr. Perry gave notice he should move for a reconsideration.

INTEREST ON TAXES.

The bill reducing the rate of interest on overdue taxes reported by the minority of the Judiciary Committee was taken from the table.

Mr. Brown spoke in favor of the bill.

Mr. Locke opposed the bill. He said that in the Judiciary Committee only Mr. Brown and one other were in favor of the bill.

The House adjourned while the bill was under consideration.

Afternoon Session.

BIENNIAL SESSIONS.

The majority and minority report of committee relating to this matter came up by special assignment.

After some little discussion it was suggested by Mr. Wilson, that the vote be taken without further debate, and that any member who desires to explain his vote may have the privilege of doing so by having it printed in the paperr.

Mr, Pickard did not object to this if members would not say naughty things.

No vote was taken to this effect.

The minority report was accepted by a very strong vote.

Mr. Weeks opposed the resolve, submitting the buestion to the people. He spoke of the benefit of annual sessions to members.

Mr. Locke followed on the same side, claiming that biennial sessions would not serve the interest of the people of a State with such varied interests.

Mr. Dickey opposed it, as it would be an injustice to smaller towns, not giving them a representative once in 10 or 15 years in some cases.

Mr. Chesley explained why he voted in favor of the resolve.

Mr. Farrington said he should be in favor of biennial elections, but in favor of annual sessions.

Mr. Wilson said he should not vote for it because he did not believe in it.

The resolve passed to be engrossed—109 to 21.

ELECTION OF GOVERNOR BY PLURALITY VOTE.

The resolve proposing a constitutional amendment providing for the election of governor by plurality vote was taken from the table, and to-morrow at 2 1-2 o'clock was assigned for consideration.

The bill relatings to interest on taxes under consideration at the adjournment of the morning session was further amended.

Mr. Jones said there was a general feeling in towns and cities that the law should remain as it is optional with municipalities.

Mr. Taylor thought towns should be allowed to manage matters to suit themselves.

Mr. Boynton was opposed to the bill. The matter of 20 per cent ought not to be considered as interest. He said if a man in Bangor had his property sold for taxes, he could go to his colleague (Brown) and hire the money very cheap he had no doubt, as he had plenty of it

The House refused to substitute the minority for the majority report and accepted the majority report ought not to pass—yeas 75, nays 54.

THE INDUSTRIAL SCHOOL.

The resolve in favor of the Maine Industrial school for Girls came from the Senate amended reducing the amount to $3,500 and providing that it should all be paid to female employees. Messrs. Locke, Smith Farmington and Guptil opposed receding and concurring with the Senate. The House refused to concur and insisted on former vote and proposed a committee of conference, with Messrs Gilman, Perry and Guptil as conferees on part of the House.

RAILROAD TAXATION.

The bill providing for appraisal and collection of railroad taxes was taken from the table.

This bill was reported by a minority of the finance committee. The minority asked leave to withdraw the report and bill and were given leave to do so, after which the majority report, ought not to pass, was accepted.

SALARIES.

Salary bill No. 2 was called up and Mr. Fox proposed an amendment making the clerk hire for State Librarian $200.

Mr. Young thought a librarian didn't need a clerk any more than a boot black did.

Mr. Perry of Camden, and Wilson were in favor of the amendment or an amendment appropriating some sum.

Mr. Boynton favored the amendment.

Mr. Young would be in favor of increasing the salary if necessary, but not to provide for an unnecessary clerk.

The amendment was rejected 37 to 43, and an amendment to make it $150 was defeated.

An amendment making the amount $100 was adopted, 66 to 62, and the bill passed as amended.

Mr. Locke moved a reconsideration of the bill relating to sale of coal, and it was laid on the table.

MAINE.

Biddeford Mayoralty.

BIDDEFORD, Feb. 24.—At a union caucus of Democrats and Greenbackers in this city this evening, James A. Strout was unanimously nominated for mayor.

Sudden Death.

DOVER, Feb. 24.—William Elms, an old railroad man, and for several years past road master on the Bangor & Piscataquis road, died suddenly at his home in this place this morning.

WASHINGTON.

The Reno Inquiry.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—It is understood that the court of inquiry in the Reno case will report that the inquiry has not declosed evidence against Reno to warrant court martial.

Capt. Blair Dismissed.

In the case of Capt. Blair the sentence is dismissal from the service.

More Bonds Called In.

The Secretary of the Treasury this afternoon issued the 90th call for redemption 5.20 bonds. The call is for $20,000,000, of which $13,000,000 are coupon.

Contested Election Case.

In the contested election case of Host vs. Metcalf, from the Third Missouri district, the election committee decided unanimously to report in favor of Metcalf, the sitting member.

Democratic Caucuses.

A Democratic caucus was held this afternoon to take action on the giving out of the public printing to private parties, thus abolishing the public printing office. Little interest was manifested, only 28 being present. A bill however was agreed to with the above named object, and it will be introduced in the House.

THE INDIANS.

A Disappointment for the Oregon Tribes.

PORTLAND, Oregon. Feb. 22.—Revenue cutter Walcet left Port Townsend for Sitka on the 20th.

Lieut. Wood of Gen. Howard's staff, reports that he delivered to Chief Moses intelligence from the Interior Department that he cannot have the reservation he asked for last fall through Gen. Howard. Moses expressed great disappointment at the denial, but said he would try to persuade his people to do the next best thing the Government would allow, but could not vouch for the manner in which they would receive such bad news.

Train Attacked by the Savages.

DEADWOOD, Feb. 23.—Two freight trains were attacked by Indians a few miles from Rapid City. The Indians fired several volleys into the town to prevent the citizens going to the rescue. Another band attacked Sulphur Springs station, killing one man and running off four horses. Two companies of cavalry started in pursuit.

MARINE NEWS.

Boston Schooner Ashore on Grand Menan

EASTPORT, Feb. 24.—Schooner Empress of Boston went ashore at Grand Menan in the late storm Probably a total loss.

A Maine Vessel's Crew Down with the Yellow Fever.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The crew of the wrecked schooner C. B. Paine at Life Saving Station Centre at Mancher, L. I., was reported this morning in a slightly improved condition, though it is feared that some will die. With the exception of the mate the entire crew were stricken with the yellow fever two days out from Hayti, and for 27 days the little craft was completely at the mercy of the waves. A steamer of relief arrived at the wreck this morning. The schooner was built at Eastport in 1875. The owners are Paine Brothers, Eastport. Capt. W. H. Hilliard and other sufferers are receiving tender care at the government station.

TELLER COMMITTEE.

The Investigation of Intimidation in the Northern States.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The chairman of the Teller committee announced that if the committee wished to sit during the recess and investigate the alleged intimidation in the Northern States, it would be necessary to obtain authority from the Senate, and that the minority should designate the states to be investigated. Senator Garland replied that the minority would be prepared to take the needful action at the next meeting.

A Cowardly Murder.

JACKSONVILLE, Tex., Feb. 24.—Joseph E. Douglass, while standing at the post office with several acquaintances, was killed by E. H. Edwardson who approached from behind with a shot gun, firing the entire charge of buckshot into the former's head. No reason is assigned for the assassination.

XLVTH CONGRESS—SECOND SESSION.

SENATE.

Passage of the Army Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.

Bill authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to accept the ship Jeannet for the Arctic expedition was passed.

Mr. Hamlin, from the Committee on Foreign Relations, reported adversely on the Senate bill to grant the American Ocean Cable and Telegraph Association of Philadelphia the privilege to lay a land cable, etc., and the committee was discharged.

Mr. Beck submitted an amendment to the bill making appropriations to pay arrears of pensions, which proposes to suspend the operation of all laws providing for a sinking fund and to apply the surplus revenue in the treasury, after paying current expenses to the payment of arrears of pensions. Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

Mr. Allison, from the Committee on Appropriations, reported with sundry amendments the deficiency appropriation bill, and gave notice he would call it up as soon as the army bill was disposed of.

Mr. Cameron gave notice that as soon as the army bill was disposed of he would call up the resolution reported by the Committee on Elections, declaring Corbin entitled to a seat as senator from South Carolina.

After the conclusion of the morning business the Senate discussed the army appropriation bill and the discussion upon the clause allowing railroad to use their telegraph lines for commercial purposes was continued.

Mr. Jones spoke in favor thereof.

Mr. Bayard spoke in opposition, denying the power of Congress to adopt the proposed measure, and argued that if Congress had power to add to the power of corporations created by states it had power to detract from those powers. If Congress could turn a railway company into a telegraph company it could turn it into a manufacturing or banking company.

Mr. McDonald also opposed the whole clause and said it was proposed to engraft upon railways new corporate powers and authorize them to engage in business entirely different from that for which they were chartered. That states could give such powers to railways he did not doubt, but he denied that Congress had power to confer additional charter rights.

Mr. Conkling said he would vote to strike out the provision touching telegraphs whatever shape it might assume. He would do so because it was legislation upon an appropriation bill, besides it was a great and complicated subject and should be carefully considered.

Mr. Hoar said nearly every state which incorporated railways made its stockholders liable for its debts to large amounts. The bill proposed to render the private property of railway stockholders liable for a new business which stockholders in roads did not propose to undertake when they subscribed for their stock in railways.

Mr. Jones of Florida said there was nothing compulsory in the proposition. It was voluntary with railroads whether they would undertake the transmission of commercial telegrams or not.

Mr. Merrimon argued that Congress had power to pass the proposed measure. The Western Union Co. was organized by New York for the transmission of news throughout the country. Congress had power to regulate the transmission of news just as it had the power to regulate the postal system. He had no doubt Congress had the power to create a great corporation for the transmission of news or for carrying the mails throughout the country.

The pending question being on the amendment providing that railways before using their telegraphs for commercial purposes shall file their written acceptance of the restrictions and obligations imposed on telegraph companies, was agreed to.

The Senate struck out the clause forbidding the use of troops at the polls.

The army bill passed with the telegraph clause and amendments made in committee of the whole.

HOUSE.

The Tobacco Bill—Funds Belonging to the Confederacy.

The House non-concurred in the Senate amendment to the tobacco bill which strikes out the proviso that rectifiers supplying less than 500 barrels of spirit a year shall pay a license of $100; also non-concurred in the amendment relating to tax on national and savings banks. Committee of conference ordered.

The House moved to suspend the rules and pass the bill appropriating a million and a half for erection of public buildings Tabled; yeas 63, nays 187.

The House concurred in the Senate amendment to the tobacco bill providing the bill shall go into effect May 1st.

The House refused to abolish the tax on matches.

A bill was introduced directing the President to institute inquiry as to the disposition of funds belonging to so-called confederate states remaining at the end of the war in the bank of England or hands of English citizens in order that such funds be used for the relief of citizens of confederate states who incurred disabilities during the war.

THE POTTER COMMITTEE.

Wooley Doesn't Want to Testify.—Thair Denies Coyle's Charges—An Old Story Repeated.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—C. W. Wooley sent an affidavit from Cincinnati that he is sick abed that he don't drink or gamble, and that the testimony o Coyle, so far as it relates to him is utterly false.

Mr Hiscock moved that the affidavit be not received, which was carried. The chairman said he would communicate with Wooley and tell him he was to attend as early as possible.

The chairman also read a letter from Alex Thair who Coyle testified offered to sell the Florida returning board for $100,000. He asks permission to come before the committee and refute the charges against him. Letters were also put in evidence to show that at the time the letters were written Barlow was acting in the Republican interest.

W. E. Chandler stated that he had sent for the ciphers said to have passed between him and Mr. Davenport, but he had not received them. If the committee wanted them they might send for them.

Joseph H Madder recalled, recapitualated his former statements relating to the negotiations of himself and Mr. Wharton with Mr. Packard and the returning board of Louisiana.

At the conclusion of the committee's session this evening, it was resolved to take no more oral evidence. To-morrow the question of the committee's report will probably be discussed.

Burnside Loses His Temper.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Herald says that during the consideration of the executive business in the Senate Saturday, a nomination was reported adversely by Mr. Conkling which provoked a remark from Mr. Burnside, who it is understood desired to secure the confirmation. Mr. Conkling followed with remarks which Mr. Burnside construed as reflecting upon him, personally, and made a statement to the Senate to that effect. The New York Senator repeated his former remarks which exasperated Mr. Burnside, who is generally reported to have replied, "I say to the Senate and to the Senator from New York that I speak from personal knowledge when I say that I know of no one who can, with so much readiness and aptness, equivocate and falsify matters to suit his views as the Senator from New York." The remarks caused considerable excitement but further breach of the rules was prevented by Senator Hoar, who was in the chair, ruling that the remarks of the Senator from Rhode Island was unparliamentary.

METEOROLOGICAL.

INDICATIONS FOR THE NEXT TWENTY-FOUR HOURS.

WAR DEP'T, OFFICE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER, Washington, D.C., Feb. 25, 1 A. M.

For New England

cold, westerly winds and partly cloudy weather during a portion of the day, with a slight rise in the barometer followed during the evening by threatening weather and snow, winds shifting to northeast and southeast and falling barometer. Cautionary signals from Smithville to New York.

THE ANTI-CHINESE BILL

Indorsed by the Metropolitan Church of San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—A San Francisco despatch says a resolution was adopted at the Metropolitan church last night and will be sent to President Hayes today. urging him in the name of "two thousand Christian citizens" to sign the Chinese bill as a measure of "Christian civilization."

EUROPE.

The Plague Abated.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb 24.—Gen. Melikoff telegraphs that there has been neither deaths from nor new cases of the plague in the surrounded district since his last report.

Foreign Notes.

The Ameer of Afghanistan at last accounts was near his end.

The Pope on Wednesday, replying to an address from the cardinals, emphasized his desire to reconcile the Princes and the people to the church, his readiness to extend his hand to all who repent and cease from persecutions, and his unflinching intention always to combat in defense of the rights and independence of the church, those who make war against her.

The rise of the Lowe is causing disastrous inundations.

M. Saint Reno Taillandier, the author, is dead.

SOUTH AMERICA.

Revolution in Antigua—Hard Fighting Expected.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Panama advices of the 15th inst., state that there is a revolution in Antigua, and in one fight near Manizales 25 men were killed and the revolutionists defeated. The General Government has decreed a levy of 8000 men to march upon that State to restore order. Three battalions have gone, and Canca is getting 2000 men ready to send to the frontier. It is stated that 8000 men from Antigua have invaded the frontier of Cauca, and as nothing is heard of General Renjito, the news is considered serious, and hard fighting is expected. President Trujillo will keep 200 men to protect the transit across the Isthmus.

MINOR TELEGRAMS

Steamship Quebec from Portland has arrived at Liverpool.

Geo Close & Co.'s confectionery establishment and several houses in Cambridge, Mass., were burned yesterday.

James Johnson of Philadelphia committed suicide in Salem Saturday night.

At Springfield, Mass, Sunday, Henry Bancroft, aged 76, while temporarily deranged, assaulted his married daughter with an axe cutting two gashes in her face, when she seized his arm and prevented further injuries. A few hours later Bancroft committed suicide by hanging.

The Methodist and Baptist ministers of Philadelphia request the President to veto the anti-Chinese bill.

All the students at Trinity College but three have left because the faculty suspended several students for delivering orations on Washington's Birthday without submitting them to their inspection. The faculty are resolved not to yield.

Capt. Paul Boynton started at 8 o'clock yesterday morning on a swimming trip down the Ohio and Mississippi to New Orleans. He expects to reach New Orleans in 28 days.

Two Churches Blown Down.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E. I, Feb. 25.—During a terrific storm Sunday, the Catholic church at Cardigan road, Presbyterian church at Souris and railway coal shed at Summerside were blown down. Other casualties are reported. Snow in railway cuttings is sixteen to eighteen feet deep.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Portland Wholesale Market.

MONDAY, February 24.—The market for Grain, Pork and Lard is firm and unchanged. Flour is in good demand and steady at quotations. Sugars are steady; granulated at 8⅞c, Extra C. at 8½c. Oil—Ligonia at 19½c, Kerosene 17c, Petroleum 12c. In Fruit the market is quiet and unchanged.

The following are the latest quotations of Flour Grain and Fruit:

FLOUR.		GRAIN. *Wholesale.*	
Superfine	3 75 @ 4 25	H. M. corn, car lots	.50@51
Extra Spring	5 00 @ 5 50	Yellow, "	...51@52
XX Spring	5 25 @ 5 75	Oats, "	35
Patent Spring Wheats	7 75 @ 8 75	Sacked Bran, "	...17 50
Michigan Winter best	— @ 5 75	" Mids, "	...23 00
Low Grade Michigan	4 75 @ 5 50	Corn, bag lots	54
StLouis Winter fair	5 25 @ 5 50	Meal, "	52
Winter good	5 75 @ 6 00	Oats, "	37
Winter best	6 50 @ 6 75	Bran, "	20
		Middlings, "	24
		Rye, "	70

FRUIT.

Oranges.		*Nuts.*	
Palermos ₱ bx	2 00	Peanuts,—	
Messina, "	2 25	Wilmington	1 50 @ 1 60
Valencia, cases,	4 50 @ 5 00	Virginias	1 10 @ 1 50
Lemons		Tennessee	1 00 @ 1 20
Messina	3 25 @ 3 50	Castana, ₱ lb	8 @ 9c
Palermos	3 00	Walnuts, "	12 @ 14c
		Filberts, "	11 @ 12c
		Pecan "	9 @ 10c

At New York, Flour firmly held and more active; Wheat opened ⅛@½ better and closed quiet; Corn ¼@½ higher and fairly active business for export and home use; Oats ⅛@½ better and fairly active; Pork and Lard opened higher and closed heavy. At Chicago, Flour is firmer but not higher; Wheat closed in fair demand and higher; Corn active and higher; Oats steady; Pork and Lard 2½ higher. At St Louis, Flour steady; Corn dull and drooping; Oats quiet; Pork and Lard higher.

Clearing House Transactions.

PORTLAND, February 24.

The Clearing House of the Portland Banks report the transaction of business as follows to-day:

Gross Exchanges	$ 93,533 02
Net Balances	14,972 79

Receipts of Maine Central R. R.

PORTLAND. Feb. 22

For Portland, 26 cars miscellaneous merchandise; for connecting roads 70 cars miscellaneous merchandise.

Daily Domestic Receipts.

By water conveyance—1000 bush corn meal to G W True & Co.

Boston Stock Market.

[Sales of the Broker's Board, Feb. 24]

First Call.

$6000 Eastern R. new 3½s	69
54 Boston & Maine Railroad	111½
4 do	111½
70 Eastern Railroad	11
25 do b30	11
Portland, Saco & Portsmouth Railroad	— @ 92

Second Call.

$5000 Eastern Railroad 3½s	68
$12,000 do	68½

New York Stock and Money Market.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—Evening.—Money market active at 2 @ 4 per cent., closing easy at 2 per cent.; prime mercantile paper 3 @ 5. Sterling Exchange is quiet and steady at 485 @ 485½ for long and 488½ @ 488¾ for short sight. Governments steady. State bonds—Louisiana consols sold at 52½ Raiway mortgages irregular. Stock market active the but closing sales show a decline in almost the entire list.

Transactions at the Stock Exchange aggregated 242,000 shares.

The following were the closing quotations of Government securities:

United States 6s, 1881 reg	106¾
United States 6s, 1881, coup	106¾
United States 1867, reg	102
United States 1867, coup	102
United States 1868, reg	102¼
United States 1868, coup	102¼
United States 10-40s, reg	102
United States 10-40s, coup	104¼
United States new 5's, reg	104⅜
United States new 5's, coup	104⅜
United States new 4½'s, reg	105
United States new 4½'s, coup	106⅛
United States 4 per cents, reg	100
United States 4 per cents, coup	100
New 3 65, reg	80¼
New 3.65s, coupons	80⅜
Pacific 6s 95s	121⅜

The following were the closing quotations of Stocks:

Hudson	42½
Morris & Essex	85½
Pacific Mail	14½
Western Union Telegraph Co	109⅛
New York Central & Hudson R R	117⅜
Erie	26⅞
Erie preferred	48¼
Michigan Central	87⅛
Union Pacific Stock	73
Lake Shore	70⅜
Illinois Central	82⅞
Pittsburg R	93
Chicago & Northwestern	59⅞
Chicago & Northwestern preferred	88¼
New Jersey Central	42⅜
Rock Island	132¼
St Paul	39⅛
St Paul preferred	82
Quincy	120
Panama	136
Fort Wayne	106¼
Chicago & Alton*	81
Chicago & Alton preferred*	105½
Ohio & Mississippi	17¼
Delaware & Lackawanna	53
Atlantic & Pacific Telegraph	37½

*Ex-div.

The following were the afternoon quotations of Pacific Railroad securities:

Boston, Hartford & Erie 1st	18
Guaranteed	39
Central Pacific Bonds	109⅜
Union Pacific 1st	109⅛
Land Grants	115
Sinking Funds	115
Sutro Tunnel	3⅜
Bar silver, currency	109
Do Coin	1 @ 1½ discount

California Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO. February 22.—The following are the closing official prices of mining stocks to-day:

Alpha	20¼	Kentuck	—
Belcher	6⅜	Leopard	—
Best & Belcher	23	Mexican	45¼
Bullion	7¾	Northern Belle	10
Consolidated Va	6⅜	Overman	10
California	6⅜	Ophir	44½
Chollar	47	Raymond & Ely	6¼
Caledonia	2¾	Savage	13¼
Crown Point	5⅜	Seg Belcher	—
Exchequer	7½	Sierra Nevada	55
Gould & Curry	14	Union con	86¼
Hale & Norcross	17¼	Yellow Jacket	22¼
Imperial	—	Eureka con	28¼
Julia consol'd'td	6½	Grand Prize	4¼
Justice	5	Alta	6¼
Bodie	7¼	Washoe consol'd	—

Chicago Cattle Marke.

CHICAGO. February 24—Hogs—receipts 15,000 head; shipments 9,500 head; market strong and 5c higher; choice heavy at 4 00 @ 4 50; light at 3 80 @ 4 00, Mixed 3 80 @ 3 95.

Cattle—receipts 3700 head; shipments 1400 head; shipping 15c lower at 4 10 @ 5 00; feeders and stockers at 2 70 @ 3 80; butchers steady; Cows at 2 20 @ 4 00.

Sheep—receipts 700 head; shipments 1000 head; unchanged at 3 00 @ 4 12½.

Domestic Markets.

NEW YORK, February 24—Evening.—**Cotton** is dull; new Middling uplands 9⅝c; do Orleans at 9⅞c. **Flour**—receipts 33,886 bbls; the market is more active, unchanged and firmly held; sales 21,000 bbls; No 2 at 2 60 @ 3 35; Superfine Western and State 3 50 @ 3 75; extra Western and State at 3 80 @ 4 00; choice Western and State at 4 05 @ 4 50; White Wheat Western extra at 4 55 @ 5 25; Fancy White Wheat Western at 5 30 @ 6 50; extra Ohio at 3 75 @ 5 00; extra St Louis 3 80 @ 7 50; Patent Minnesota extra at 6 00 @ 7 00; choice at 7 05 @ 8 25, including 4300 bbls City Mills extra at 4 85 @ 5 25; 1,300 bbls extra at 3 80 @ 4 00; 5800 bbls Winter Wheat extra at 3 90 @ 5 15; 6,400 bbls Minnesota extra at 3 85 @ 8 25, the market closing steady. **Southern Flour** is quiet and steady; sales 1300 bbls; extra at 4 00 @ 5 20; choice do 5 25 @ 6 50. **Rye Flour** unchanged. **Cornmeal** quiet. **Wheat**—receipts 342,382 bush; opened ½ @ ¾c better and closed quiet with buyers generally indisposed to pay advances; shippers holding off; sales 304,000 bush, including 44,000 bush on the spot; rejected Spring 83 @ 84; ungraded Spring at 95c @ 1 05; No 3 do 95 @ 97c; No 2 do at 1 06; ungraded Winter Red at 1 00 @ 1 12½; No 3 do at 1 09½ @ 1 10; No 2 do at 1 13 @ 1 13½; No 1 do 1 13½; No 2 Amber at 1 12½ @ 1 12¾; steamer do at 1 08; ungraded White at 1 12½ @ 1 12¾; No 2 do at 1 10 @ 1 10½; No 1 do 15,000 bush at 1 12¾ @ 1 13; extra do, 8000 bush at 1 13½: No 1 White for February, 8,000 bush at 1 12¾ closing at 1 12¾ bid, 1 13 asked; do March, 24,000 bush at 1 13, closing 1 12¾ bid, 1 13¼ asked; do April, 8,000 bush at 1 14, closing at 1 14½ bid, 1 15 asked; No 2 Amber for March, 8,000 bush at 1 13; do April, 16,000 bush at 1 14 closing at 1 14 bid, 1 14½ asked; No 2 Red for February, 16,000 bush at 1 13 @ 1 13¼, closing at 1 13 bid, 1 14 asked; do for March, 56 000 bush at 1 13¾, closing at 1 13¾ bid, 1 13¾ asked; do for April, 16,000 bush at 1 14¾ @ 1 15, closing at 1 14¾ bid, 1 15 asked. **Rye** is steady 6500 bush Canada at 63c; 5700 bush State at 62 @ 62½. **Barley** quiet; 9000 bush 2-rowed State at 68 @ 75c **Barley Malt** is nominal. **Corn**—receipts 243,220 bush; ¼ @ ½c higher with fairly active business for export and home use; sales 242,000 bush, including 178,000 bush on the spot, ungraded at 46 @ 47c; No 3 at 43¾ @ 43⅞c; steamer at 44⅞ @ 45c; No 2 at 46¼ @ 46½c; old do at 47c; Jersey Yellow at 46½ @ 46¾c; Southern Yellow at 45c; round Yellow 46 @ 49c; White Southern 51; steamer for February at 44⅞ @ 44¾c, closing at 44⅞c bid, 45c asked; do March at 45c bid, 45¼ asked; do for April at 45⅞c, closing 45⅞c bid, 46c asked; No 2 for February 46⅜, 46⅝c asked; do March at 46⅜ @ 46⅝c; old do 47⅛c bid, 47⅜c asked. **Oats**—receipts 52,900 bush; ⅛ @ ½c better and fairly active; sales 68,000 bush; No 3 at 31⅞c; No 3 White at 32½ @ 32⅞c; No 2 at 32c; No 2 White at 33½ @ 34c; No 1 White 34⅝ @ 35¼c; Mixed Western at 31 @ 33c; White Western at 33 @ 35c; Mixed State at 33c; White State at 34 @ 35c. **Sugar** is quiet and heavy. **Molasses** nominally unchanged. **Petroleum** is quiet and unchanged. **Tallow** moderately active and steady. **Eggs** heavy at 15 @ 17½. **Pork** opened excited and higher and closed quiet and heavy; 675 bbls old mess on the spot at 9 75 for old; 10 87½ @ 11 12½ for new; 100 bbls for March, new 10 85 @ 10 90; 500 bbls for April at 10 95; 1750 for May at 11 10 @ 11 20. **Beef** is steady. **Cut Meats** firm and quiet; pickled hams at 9½; middles higher and quiet; long clear at 5⅜; short clear at 5⅝; long and short clear bult and half at 5½. **Lard** opened higher and closed dull and heavy; sales 500 tcs prime steam on spot part at 7 12½; 1250 tcs for February at 7 07½ @ 7 12½; 1750 tcs for March 7 05 @ 7 10; 3500 tcs for April at 7 12½ @ 7 25; 2750 tcs for May 7 20 @ 7 27½; 180 city steam 6 90 @ 6 95; 50 tcs No 1 do 6 40.

Freights to Liverpool—market steady; Cotton per sail 3-16 @ 7-32; steam at ¼; Wheat per steam at 5¾ @ 6.

CHICAGO, February 24.—Flour is firmer but not higher. Wheat is strong, higher and unsettled; No 2 Chicago Spring at 92⅞ @ 92⅞c for cash; 92⅞c for March; 93⅞c for April; No 3 Chicago Spring at 78⅜ @ 78½c; rejected 67⅞ @ 68c. Corn is in good demand and shade higher at 33⅛c for cash; 32⅞c for March; 33⅞c for April; 37⅞ @ 37⅞c for May. Oats shade higher at 22⅞ @ 23c for cash; 23c for March; 23⅜c for April; 25⅜c May; rejected 19c Rye steady at 46½c. Barley easier at 78 @ 79. Pork strong and higher at 10 30 for cash; 10 32½ @ 10 35 for March; 10 47½ for April; 10 60 @ 10 62½ for May. Lard is steady and higher at 6 85 for cash; 6 85 bid for March; 6 95 for April; 7 02½ @ 7 05 for May. Bulk Meats strong and higher. Shoulders at 3 90; clear rib at 5 20; clear sides at 5 35. Dressed Hogs 4 50.

Receipts—15,000 bbls flour, 63,000 bush wheat, 128,000 bush corn, 33,000 bush oats, 3500 bush rye, 9,000 bush barley.

Shipments—12,000 bbls flour 34,000 bush wheat, 58,000 bush corn, 20,000 bush oats 9,000 bush barley, 2300 bush rye.

At the afternoon call of the board the market closed with Wheat in fair demand and higher at 93c for cash; 93⅛c bid for March: 94⅜c bid for April. Corn active and higher at 33⅜c for April; 37⅛c for May. Oats steady. Provisions—Pork 2½c higher. Lard is 2½c higher.

ST LOUIS, February 24.—Flour is steady. Wheat opened firmer and declined at close; No 2 Red Fall at 1 02 @ 1 02⅛ cash; 1 01⅞ @ 1 01⅞ for March; 1 02⅞ @ 1 03⅛, closing 1 02⅞ for April; 1 04 for May; No 3 Red Fall at 98⅞; No 2 Spring 90c. Corn dull and drooping; No 2 Mixed at 32⅛ @ 32⅜c for cash; 32⅛ @ 32⅜c for March; 33⅛ @ 33⅜c for April; 34 @ 34⅛c for May. Oats are quiet; No 2 at 24c ash and for March. Rye dull and lower at 44 @ 44½c Barley nominal. Provisions—Pork higher at 10 25 @ 10 27½. Lard at 6 86. Bulk meats are held above buyers views. Bacon is higher; clear ribs 5 55 @ 5 60; clear 5 70 @ 5 75. Sweet pickled hams active at 7 @ 7½.

Receipts—1000 bbls flour, 76,000 bush wheat, 196,000 bush corn, 56,000 bush oats, 3,000 bush rye, 5,000 bush barley.

Shipments—19,000 bbls flour, 0,000 bush wheat, 4,000 bush corn, 0,000 bush oats, 0,000 bush rye, 2,000 bush barley.

TOLEDO February 24.—Wheat is firm; No 2 Red at 1 02½ cash; 1 02⅞ for March; 1 05⅞ for May. Corn quiet and firm; No 2 at 35½c bid for March; 37⅛ asked and 37⅛ bid for May.

DETROIT, February 24.—Wheat is steady; extra White 1 01⅞ @ 1 02; White 99⅞c @ 1 00; March 99⅞c; April; 1⅞ @ 1 02⅛; May 1 03⅜ @ 1 04⅛.

NEW ORLEANS, February 24.—Cotton is firm; Middling uplands 9½c.

MEMPHIS, February 24.—Cotton steady; Middling uplands 9½c.

MOBILE, February 24.—Cotton quiet and steady; Middling uplands at 9c.

European Markets

LONDON, Febuary 24—12.30 P. M.—Consols at 96 3-16 for money and 96½ for account.

LONDON, February 24—12.30 P. M.—American securities—United States bonds, 67s, at 104; new 5's at 106⅞; new 4½'s at 1 07⅞; 10-40s at 1 04⅛; New Jersey Central 45⅞.

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 24—12-30 P. M.—Cotton market in fair business; Uplands at 5⅜d; Orleans at 5⅝d; sales 5,000 bales, including 1000 for speculation and export. Receipts 7850 bales, all American.

Futures easier; February 5 13-32; February and March 5 13-32.

Flour at 8 @ 10; Winter Wheat at 8 9 @ 9 2; do Spring at 6 11 @ 8; California averages at 8 10 @ 9 3; club 9 2 @ 9 8 Corn at 4 7 Peas 6 5. Provisions, &c. —Pork at 49; Beef 71; Bacon at 26 6 @ 27 Lard at 34 6. Cheese at 49. Tallow at 36. At London 36 3.

PARIS, Feb. 24.—Rentes 110 80.

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MARRIED.

In this city, Feb. 24, by Jos Reed, Esq., John Whitney and Miss Hannah P. Cobb, both of Portland.

In Fairfield, Feb. 19, Edw P. Kenrick, Esq., and Miss Carrie S. Kelley.

In South Norridgewock, Feb. 15, Charles R. Miller and Miss Hattie M. Rogers.

In Skowhegan, Feb. 16, Octavius Groder and Miss Sophia Cary.

In Vassalboro, Jan. 30, Franklin Coburn and Mrs. Jane Eldridge, both of Pittston.

DIED.

In this city, Feb. 22, Henry S. Burgess, aged 69 years. [Boston papers please copy.]

In Windham Feb. 23, Mabel Louise, only child of C. P. and L. T. Garland, of Portland, aged 7 years 10 months 13 days. [Massachusetts papers please copy.]

In Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 11, Elias P. Burnham of Ferry Village, aged 47 years 7 months.

In Waterville, Feb. 19, John P. Caffrey, aged 56 years 11 months.

In Waterville, Feb. 20, Frank M. Day, aged 25 yrs.

In Surry, Feb. 11, Sarah Bullwell, aged 87 years 10 months.

In Mt Desert, Feb. 17, Sophia Higgins, aged 18 yrs.

In Thomaston, Feb. 14, Thomas Blackburn, aged 48 years 9 months.

In Farmington, Feb. 12, Mrs. Addie S., wife of Clotus Gonyo, aged 26 years 6 months.

In Farmington, Feb. 13, Mr. John Frost, aged 63 years 9 months.

In Peru, Jan 19, Mrs. Susanna S., wife of the late Albion K. Knox, aged 49 years 7 months.

In Leeds, Jan. 3, Mrs. Hipsey, wife of Daniel Boston, aged 59 years 7 months.

In Nobleboro, Feb. 12, Mrs. Sarah C. Light, aged 35 years 10 months.

DEPARTURE OF STEAMSHIPS.

NAME	FROM	FOR	
Nevada	New York	Liverpool	Feb 25
Bermuda	New York	St Thomas	Feb 26
Algeria	New York	Liverpool	Feb 26
Victoria	New York	London	Feb 26
Atlas	New York	Kingston, Ja	Feb 27
City of Washington	New York	Havana	Feb 27
City of Brussels	New York	Liverpool	Feb 27
Canima	New York	Bermuda	Feb 27
Suevia	New York	Hamburg	Feb 27
State of Alabama	Portland	Liverpool	Mch 1
Samaria	Boston	Liverpool	Mch 1
Polynesian	Halifax	Liverpool	Mch 1
Santiago de Cuba	New York	Havana	Mch 1
Italy	New York	Liverpool	Mch 1
Devonia	New York	Glasgow	Mch 1
Saratoga	New York	Havana	Mch 5
Parthia	New York	Liverpool	Mch 5
City of Rio Janeiro	New York	Rio Janeiro	Mch 5
Amerique	New York	Havre	Mch 5
Sarmatian	Halifax	Liverpool	Mch 8
Lake Champlain	Portland	Liverpool	Mch 15

Miniature Almanac......February 25.

Sun rises	6 45	High water	1.00 PM
Sun sets	5 43	Moon sets	10 38 PM

MARINE NEWS.

PORT OF PORTLAND.

Monday, Feb. 24.

ARRIVED.

Steamship Chesapeake, Mangum, New York—mdse to Henry Fox.

Steamship Eleanora, Johnson, New York—passengers and mdse to Henry Fox.

Brig R W Messer, Lawrence, Boston, to J S Winslow & Co

Sch Traveller, Crossman, Boston, to load for Eastport.

Sch C A Higgins. McMillan, Boston.

Sch Mary, Gilchrist, Belfast for Wilmington.

Sch Ann F Brown, Perry, Mt Desert for N York.

CLEARED.

Steamship Franconia, Bragg, New York,—Henry Fox.

Steamer Jas A Gary, Grant, Eastport and Calais—Nath'l Blake.

Barque Jose R Lopez, McDonald, Cardenas—Phinney & Jackson.

Sch Albert W Smith, Loring, Havana—Phinney & Jackson.

Sch Radiant, Hardy, Winterport—S W Thaxter.

SAILED—Brig Liberty; sch Albert W Smith.

FROM MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

Ar at New York 24th, steamer City of Vera Cruz, from Vera Cruz via Havana; barque A Kobbe. from Matanzas; schs Mary Helen, Jellison St Domingo; Irvin Leslie, Hagerty, Jeremie; Grace Bradley, Vesper, Matanzas.

Ar at do 24th, ship Jane Fish, Young, Antwerp; brigs Jos Clark, Stahl Santa Cruz; Ada L White, Dewey, Cardenas; Emma L Hall, Perry, Matanzas.

Ar at Delaware Breakwater 23d, ship Snow & Burgess, from Havre.

Ar at do 24th, sch Kit Carson, Lawrence, from Cardenas.

Ar at Pascagoula 23d, sch C F Heyer, Poland, Barbadoes.

Ar at Rangoon 22d, ship Leading Wind, Binckley, Liverpool.

At Maracaibo Feb 27, sch Anna S Murch, for New York.

MEMORANDA

Ship Jane Fish, Young, at New York from Antwerp, reports, 16th inst, lat 54, lon 38, took a heavy gale SE, veering to NW, and lasting till 21st; lost three topsails, foresail, &c.

Barque Jos Baker Ryder, at New York from Matanzas reports heavy gales on the passage and lost and split sails.

Barque Masonic, Ginn, from New York for Nagasaki, which put back to Manila Jan 8th, is in bad condition and will be condemned and sold.

Sch Com Kearney, which recently put into New London after colliding with steamer Albatross, has repaired and was ready to proceed 21st

Sch C B Paine of Eastport, which went ashore on Long Island 23d, is not much damaged and may come off after discharging part of her cargo of logwood. She was 27 days from Hayti and the crew were taken sick with the fever when two days out. Only two were able to be on deck when she went ashore.

The vessel ashore on Barnstable flats, is the Gersha Banker, from Boston for Richmond. She is badly iced up and sails frozen down. One of crew had his feet badly frozen and the mate was washed overboard and rescued.

Sch Grace Bradley, Vesper, at New York from Matanzas, reports heavy N and NW gales, broke main gaff and split sails.

Sch Martha Sargent, from Belfast, which was sunk by ice below Baltimore, has been raised and was towed up to Baltimore 22d.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

SAN FRANCISCO—Ar 14th, ship Mercury, Panno, Batavia.

Ar 15th, ship Chas Dennis, Jackson. New York.

GALVESTON—Ar 22d. sch Washington, Jordan, New York.

NEW ORLEANS—Ar 22d, barque Norena, Nichols Marseilles.

MOBILE—Ar 23d, sch John McAdam, Rathburn, Havana.

PENSACOLA—Cld 17th, ship India, Hutchinson, for London.

Cld 18th, sch Mary A Power, Simmons, for New Haven.

Cld 20th, sch Lewis Clark, Smith, Pascagoula.

FERNANDINA—Ar 14th, brig Mary E Pennell, Leighton, Port Royal.

Cld 11th, sch Matthew Kinney. Estes, Fall River.

Cld 12th, brigs Jessie Rhynas, Adams, Trinidad; Geo E Dale, Pierce Havana.

SAVANNAH—Cld 22d, ship P C Hazeltine, Gilkey, Liverpool.

CHARLESTON—Ar 21st, sch Kate E Gifford, from Port Royal, SC.

Cld 18th, sch Czar, Hammond, Brunswick, (and sailed 19th)

HAMPTON ROADS—Ar 24th, sch Bennington, Wyman, Rouen.

FORTRESS MONROE—Ar 22d, sch Nellie J Dinsmore. May Cardiff.

BALTIMORE—Cld 21st, sch Maria Pierson, Isay, New-York.

Cld 21st, sch Carrie Belle, Stavey. Savannah.

Ar 23d, brig F H Jennings, Neil, Matanzas; sch Laura A Webb, Nelson, Spanish Main

PHILADELPHIA—Cld 21st, sch Benj B Church, Kelley. Galveston.

NEWCASTLE, DEL—In port 20th, brig Long Reach; sch Wm Wilson.

Passed down 21st, brig Atalaya; schs Olive Crosby, and Jennie E Simmons.

Sld fm Delaware Breakwater 20th. sch M E Whorf, (from Portland) for Norfolk.

Ar at Delaware Breakwater 23d, sch Norman, Hodgdon. Cardenas.

NEW YORK—Ar 23d. schs Cyrus Hall, Howes, Pensacola 16 days; Augusta E Herrick, Herrick, Virginia

Ar 28d, brigs Tally Ho, Cates, Caibarien; Clara J Adams, McFaddon, Sagua; schs Clytie, Laughton, Matanzas; Addie G Bryant, Stubbs, Minatitlan; Nellie, Brannock, Nassau, NP; Alzena, Coffin, Matanzas.

Also ar 23d, ship Formosa, Reynolds, Manila; bark Jos Baker Ryder, Matanzas 15 days; Esther, Benjamin Perth Amboy, to finish loading for Havana; sch J W Sawyer, Orchard, Port Antonio, Ja.

Passed through Hell Gate 22d, barques Belle Wooster, Higgins, from New York for Havre; During Anderson, do for Portland: schs William Rice, Pressey, do for Fall River; Nettie Cushing, Robinson, Hoboken for Providence.

VINEYARD-HAVEN—In port 21st, schs Tennessee, J W Peasley, and Alexandria.

GALVESTON—Sld 22d, sch Franklin, Nichols, New York.

PENSACOLA—Ar 19th, sch Lester A Lewis, Pendleton, New York.

PROVIDENCE—Sld 22, sch Clara E Rogers, Rogers New York.

NEWPORT—Ar 22d, sch Clara E Rogers, Rogers, Providence for New York.

In port, schs Julia Perry, Providence for NYork; Maggie Mulvey. Hart, do for do, (ashore); Decatur Oakes, Baker, for Norfolk.

BOSTON—Ar 23d, schs Addie Sawyer, Cook, from Calais; D B Newcomb, Hickey, Eastport.

Ar 24th, schs Ceres, Hutchins, Boston; Charlotte Augusta, Holmes Eastport; Sarah, Wright, Bath.

Cld 24th, sch Kate Wentworth, Cox, Cienfuegos.

SALEM—Ar 23d, schs W G R Mowrey, for Machias Ida Hudson for Portland.

BOOTHBAY—Ar 20th, sch Volant, Cassidy, from Eastport.

FOREIGN PORTS.

Ar at Yokohama Jan 21, sch Jas S Stone, Weston, New York.

Ar at Hong Kong Jan 9, barque Thos A Goddard, Smith, Sydney, NSW.

Sld Jan 11, ship Melrose, Plummer, New York.

Sld fm Gibraltar 14th inst, barque Conquest Howes Trapani for United States.

Sld fm Liverpool 22d inst, ship Alameda, Otis, for New York.

Sld fm London 22d inst, barque Graham's Polley, Clapp, Philadelphia.

Sld fm Aspinwall 15th inst, barque Glaneida, Corning. New Orleans.

Ar at Savanilla 6th inst, sch Stephen Bennett, Douglass, Guantanamo.

SPOKEN.

Feb 12. lat 32 33, lon 77 06, barque Wetterhorn, fm Galveston for Liverpool.

Feb 13, off Hatteras, brig Raven, from Cardenas for New York.

No date lat 8 S, lon 34 10 W, ship Hermon, Hamilton, from Baltimore for Accapulco.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Maine Charitable Mechanic Association

DR. SARAH W DEVOLL

will deliver a Lecture at the

Library Room, Mechanics' Building,

WEDNESDAY EVENING, FEB. 26, '79,

AT 7 1-2 O'CLOCK.

Subject—MAINTENANCE OF HEALTH

The public are invited. Per order.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

Eastern Express Co.

Under the New Arrangement of Trains, on and after Monday, 17th inst, and until further notice, all packages deposited at our office for New York up to 12 m., will be delivered the following morning.

H S. OSGOOD,
General Agent.

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CAUCUSES.

Windham.

The Republicans of Windham are requested to meet at the Town House, in Windham, on Thursday, the 27th of February, at 2 p. m., to nominate candidates for Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Per Order of Committee.

Gorham.

The Republicans of Gorham are requested to meet at the Town House on Thursday, Feb 27th, at 2½ p. m., to nominate candidates for Town officers.

Per order of Town Committee.

The Town Committee are requested to meet on Wednesday Evening, Feb 26th, at the house of chairman of committee at 7½ o'clock.

Cape Elizabeth.

The Republicans of Cape Elizabeth are requested to meet at the Town House in said Town on THURSDAY, the 27th inst., at 2 o'clock in the afternoon to nominate candidates for Town Officers for the ensuing year.

Per Order of Town Committee.

Cape Elizabeth, Feb. 22d, 1879.

F. A. Ross & Co.

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Wh shall sell all our Dry Goods

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GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICE

so that we may be ready for an entire new stock when Spring Goods appear. No person in want of anything in the line of Dry or Fancy Goods can afford to let this opportunity pass. The balance of our stock of

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will be sold at an IMMENSE REDUCTION. Do not fail to call on us before purchasing.

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LOT COLORED DRESS GOODS,

good styles and quality, suitable for the present and coming season and for morning dresses and wrappers,

FANCY SILKS,
GLOVES, TRIMMINGS,
Fancy Goods &c.

marked down to half and many less than quarter of the cost to close.

SUITS,

Ladies' and Children's Wool Hose,

NUBIAS, LEGGINS,

Jackets, &c.,

and the balance of our colored dress goods AT COST.

BLACK SILKS, BLACK GOODS,

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of which we have one of the best assortments in this city, at

GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

J. M. DYER & CO.,

233 MIDDLE STREET.

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KID GLOVES!

I have just received a splendid assortment of Kid Gloves for Evening and Street wear. Every pair warranted.

CORSETS

In this department our stock was never more complete. We have some splendid bargains to offer those that wish to purchase.

FLORENCE!

Don't forget our Florence Unlaundried Shirts. They are the very best the market affords Price 87 cents and equal to any $1.00 Shirt offered in this market

W. F. STUDLEY,

253 Middle Street.

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Have you read "Pomona's Bridal Trip," *the latest*

"RUDDER GRANGE" STORY,

in Scribner *for March, and* "Pott's Painless Cure," Edward Bellamy's *story in* Scribner *for February?*

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JOHN W. MUNGER,

Counsellor-at-Law,

166 FORE ST., PORTLAND,

Would notify the public that he has resumed the practice of Law. (in connection with Insurance Business) and will give special attention to OFFICE BUSINESS. All business entrusted to my care will receive prompt attention.

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FINANCIAL.

SAMUEL HANSON,

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194 MIDDLE STREET.

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CALLED BONDS.

Securities for Investment.

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U. S. 5-20 BONDS

are being rapidly called in. Up to this date, February 19th, the following numbers have been called:

COUPON BONDS.

50's—1 to 90,000, both inclusive.
100's—1 to 106,000, " "
500's 1 to 93,000, " "
1000's 1 to 158,000, " "

To realize the most from these Bonds they should be disposed of NOW. We pay the highest market rates for "Called Bonds" and have for sale the new issues of Government Bonds and other investment securities.

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BANKERS AND BROKERS,

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Dealers in Government, Municipal and Railroad Securities.

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Rockland	6's
Waldoboro	6's
Newcastle	6's
Cleveland, Ohio,	6's
East Saginaw, Mich,	7's
Maine Central	7's
Rumford Falls and Buckfield R. R.,	7's
Dayton, Ohio,	8's

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CALLED

5-20's of 1867

CASHED AT OUR OFFICE.

Woodbury & Moulton

CORNER

MIDDLE AND EXCHANGE STS.

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CONGRESS STREET

SPECIAL OFFERINGS FOR THE

Grand Reception.

Kid Gloves,

Kid Gloves,

in most desirable shades and makes at

NEW YORK LOW PRICES!

2 Button 40, 60, 70 and 85c per pair
2 " Harris' best Seamless $1.25
2 " Garibaldi 1.25
3 " " 60, 7 and 1.00
3 " Harriss' Seamless 1.50
4 " " Dona Maria 1.30
6 " " " 1.50
Gents' Real Alexander .90
Gros Grain Ribbons, all Silk, 6c a yard
Satin and Gr. Gr. " " 10c "

HAMBURG EDGINGS!

Turchon and Britton Laces

AWAY DOWN!

LADIES' WOOLEN HOSIERY.

ALSO

Underwests at Cost.

All other goods in our line at lowest prices. Examine and satisfy yourself.

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Special Bargains

—IN—

FURS.

In order to close out my stock of Furs, I shall sell for the balance of the season

All Kinds of Furs and Robes

MUCH BELOW COST,

Including a Very Fine Seal Sacques. Those looking FOR BARGAINS will do well to call. All kinds of

Hats, Caps, Gloves &c.

WILL BE SOLD LOW.

E. N. PERRY,

245 Middle Street.

Opposite Foot of Free.

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ODD LOTS

Good Boots & Shoes

CHEAP!

30 pairs Women's Flannel-lined Slippers	.50
100 pairs Women's Oil Goat Button Boots,	1.75
50 pairs Women's White Kid and satin Boots,	3.50
500 pairs Women's Rubbers,	.25
100 pairs Misses' Oil Goat Button Boots,	1.00
20 pairs Men's Hand Sewed Alexis,	5.00
25 pairs Men's Grain Walking Bals,	2.00

Also several other small lots for Men, Women and Children which we shall sell very cheap.

M. G. PALMER.

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PURE ICE!

BURNHAM & DYER,

75 and 79 CROSS STREET,

Having stored a full stock of PURE ICE, will furnish

FAMILIES STORES & VESSELS

Any desired quantity, at the lowest prices

Season 1879. Customers Solicited.

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MORE BRILLIANCY!

The DIAMOND FLAME OIL

(so long sold by us) is the highest test oil in the market. Try it and be convinced! Our Gas Oil is also having a great run.

ADAMS & ROBINSON,

149 EXCHANGE ST.

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MISCELLANEOUS.

Marine Insurance!

PHENIX INSURANCE CO.,

OF NEW YORK.

ASSETS - - - $2,735,624.

Specially Favorable Terms offered to parties wishing to insure Freights and Cargoes.

PRENTISS LORING,

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OFFICE, STANTON BLOCK,

No. 31 1-2 Exchange Street.

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Eastman Bros'

SALE OF

Ladies' Cotton Underwear.

Below we give Prices of some SPECIAL BARGAINS we are offering.

SKIRTS

3 Tucks and Ruffle at	.38
1 Lot Broad Hem 12 Tucks	.62
1 Lot 3 Tucks, Broad Ruffle with Hamburg Edge,	.75
1 Lot 7 Tucks above broad 7 Tucked Cambric Ruffle, Princess Back, at	$1.00
1 Lot Broad Hem, 23 Tucks,	1.25
1 Lot 10 Tuck above 6 inch. Cambric Ruffle with 7 Tucks and Hamburg Edge Princess at	1.50
1 Lot 15 Tucks above 6 inch Cambric, 10 Tucked Ruffle, Princess Back	1.37

NIGHT ROBES.

1 Lot 8 Tucked Hamburg Ruffle at	.75
1 Lot 12 Tucks full length, with Hamburg Inserting.	1.00
1 Lot Square Yoke 3 Insertings 24 Tucks at	1.25
1 Lot Hamburg Ruffles, Square Yoke 36 Tucks at	1.50
1 Lot Plain Ruffle at	50c

CHEMISE.

1 Lot 3 Insertings, Hamburg Edge at 69 cts.	
1 Lot 20 Tucks at	.50
1 Lot 3 Insertings. Whole Front 20 Tucks, Hamburg Edge,	.90
1 Lot 3 Insertings open front, Hamburg Edge. 20 Tucks,	.75
1 Lot 5 Insertings, Hamburg Edge puffed, very fine,	1.25

DRAWERS.

1 Lot 4 Tucks, Hamburg Ruffle at	.45
1 Lot 7 Tucks, Tucked Ruffle, and	
1 Lot broad Hem, 10 Tucks,	.50
1 Lot 8 Tucks, Tucked Ruffle with Hamburg Edge,	.65
1 Lot 8 Tucks with Broad Hamburg Ruffle,	.75
1 Lot with broad Hamburg Ruffle, 13 Tucks,	$1.00

We Keep Also

a full assortment of

CORSET COVERS

—AND—

Underskirts!

Good judges pronounce these the best made and the cheapest Cotton Underwear ever shown in this market.

EASTMAN BROS.,

534 Congress Street.

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Cash Sale

OF

DRESS GOODS!

Having taken account of stock, and before purchasing our Spring Dress Goods, have decided to sell at a great sacrifice all our Fall and Winter stock of Remnants of Dress Goods. Also, our entire stock of summer Goods. All Wool and Cotton and Wool in all shades. These Goods cost from

22 to 65 Cents

WILL BE SOLD FROM

10 to 30 cts per yd.

Each piece of goods will be marked in plain figures, with price and number of yards, and will be placed on a separate counter from our other Dress Goods.

Will be pleased to have our customers examine them, as they will excel any sale of Dress Goods this season. Also, 1000 yards of

REMNANTS

IN

PLAID & STRIPED NAINSOOKS.

Sale to commence To-day.

Tukesbury & Co.

537 Congress Street,

Between Casco and Oak Streets.

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From Auction.

Our buyer has been in New York during the past week, attending the great auction sales, and has secured some bargains which have never been equalled in this city. We shall offer Monday in

Handkerchiefs

One lot Ladies' fine H. S.,	15 cts
" " " " very large	25 "
" " " " new colored Border.	25 "
One lot Gents' extra fine.	25 "

Towels.

One lot Cotton,	5 cts
" " Linen Huck,	15 "
" " large Loom Damask	25 "
" " Huck, knotted fringe,	37 "
One lot elegant Huck, knotted fringe,	62 "

Owen, Moore & Co.

Congress Street, cor. Brown.

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THE PRESS.

TUESDAY MORNING, FEBRUARY 25.

THE PRESS.

May be obtained at the Periodical Depots of N. G. Fessenden, Marquis, Brunel & Co., Andrews, Armstrong, Cox, Wentworth, Hodsdon, Hayden, Waterhouse, corner Exchange and Fore St.; Welander, Boston & Maine Depot, and Chisholm Bros., on all trains that run out of the city.

Saco, of L. Hodsdon and H. B. Kendrick.
Bath, of J. O. Shaw
Lewiston, of Stevens & Co.
Biddeford, F. M. Burnham
Brunswick, B. G Dennison, and W. H. Marrett.
Richmond, G. A. Beale
New Castle. A. W. Southworth.
Woodford's Corner, H. Moody.
New York, Brentano's Literary Emporium, 39 Union Square.

CITY AND VICINITY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS TO-DAY

ENTERTAINMENT COLUMN.
Portland Theatre—Allatoona.
Concert—Free Baptist Church.
Apron Sale—Williston Church.
Music Hall—New Novelty Theatre.

MISCELLANEOUS NOTICES.
Pratt's Astral Oil.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
Warrant in Insolvency—4.
New York Hats—Merry.
A Card.
Tiles—Cyrus F Davis
Citizens' Mutual Relief Society—Meeting.
Annual Meeting—Portland Dry Dock.
Eaton Family School—H. F. Eaton.

THE HEALTH-LIFT is one of the greatest inventions of the age, and is second to none in importance, as it is a direct appliance for the culture and improvement of the human race. It is good for everybody, and should be used by all. It will accomplish the following results: 1. It causes an equal circulation of the blood to all parts of the system. 2 It expands the lungs and increases the volume of respiration. 3. It infuses more oxygen into the muscles, and thus purifies the tissues of the body. 4. It tones and builds up the whole system when purified. 5. It will double the strength in a few months. 6. It steadies and regulates the heart's action. 7 It does all these by a practice of only ten minutes once a day. 8. It will, by the above principles, cure most of the ills to which the flesh is heir, especially when chronic, and resulting from derangement of the circulation.

Health Lift Rooms, 237 Middle street, Portland.

It is really a matter for wonder that families will persist in exposing themselves to the well known danger of using inferior and dangerous burning oils, when an article like Pratt's Astral Oil can be obtained at moderate price from any dealer, and safely guaranteed. W. W. Whipple & Co., 21 Market Square, Portland, are the agents.

No sale of Dry Goods in the city of Portland has ever created so much interest as the bankrupt sale at the store formerly occupied by A. Q Leach. The store is constantly crowded full of customers. fe8dtf

F. O. BAILEY & Co. will sell at 10 and 2½ today the stock of Toys and Fancy Goods, No. 12 Market Square. See notice in auction column.

BENEFACTORS.

When a board of eminent physicians and chemists announced the discovery that by combining some well known valuable remedies, the most wonderful medicine was produced, which would cure such a wide range of diseases that most all other remedies could be dispensed with, many were skeptical; but proof of its merits by actual trial has dispelled all doubt, and today the discoverers of that great medicine, Hop Bitters, are honored and blessed by all as benefactors.

ECONOMICAL WORKINGMEN buy the "Nigger Head" and "Bull's Eye" Cut Cavendish Smoking Tobaccos, and find them better, cheaper, and equal to nearly double the quantity of common tobacco. Ask your dealer for them Manufactured by Wm. S. Kimball & Co., Rochester, N Y. sep23TT&Seod

$500 REWARD!

They cure all diseases of the Stomach, Bowels, Blood, Liver, Nerves, Kidneys and Urinary Organs, and $500 will be paid for a case they will not cure or help, or for any thing impure or injurious in them—Hop Bitters. Test it. See "Truths" or "Proverbs," another column.

REPUBLICAN CAUCUSES.

The Republicans of Portland are requested to meet at their respective Ward Rooms on

Wednesday Evening, Feb. 26th,

AT 7 1-2 O'CLOCK,

to choose (7) seven delegates from each Ward to nominate a candidate for Mayor; to nominate one Alderman, three Councilmen, a Warden and Clerk, and two Constables in each Ward; and in Wards 2, 5, 6 and 7 a candidate for School Committee. Also to elect (5) five members of the Republican City Committee, from each ward, for the ensuing year.

The delegates selected to nominate a candidate for Mayor will meet in convention at the Reception Room, City Building, on FRIDAY EVENING, the 28th, at 7½ o'clock, to perform that duty.

Per order Republican City Committee.
WILLIAM H PLUMMER, Chairman.
GEORGE F. GOULD, Secretary.

Superior Court.

FEBRUARY CIVIL TERM, 1879, BONNEY, J., PRESIDING.

MONDAY.—Charles H. Boyd vs. John Cronan. Trespass *quare clausum fregit* to recover damages for hauling away four hundred and fifty cubic yards of gravel from plaintiff's lot on Munjoy Hill Damages claimed $90.

The defendant virtually admits the trespass, but denies that he only hauled away about eighty cubic yards of the gravel.

Arguments closed. Judge Bonney will charge the jury at nine o'clock this (Tuesday) morning.

Webb & Haskell for plaintiff.
F C. & C. H. Nash for defendant.

Brief Jottings.

Bright day. Mercury 17° at sunrise, 24° at noon, 22° at night. Wind west.

The Ontario will probably not sail before Saturday. She is waiting for cattle.

Cape Cottage is to be opened the coming season by Taylor & Company

See card of tin-ware dealers in advertising column.

A paper, to be called the Suburban Times, will be started in Cape Elizabeth soon. It will advocate a license law.

The parties interested in the Sandy River Railroad got $3,000 in subscriptions in Portland

Mr. Sawyer found a horse shivering with cold on Central wharf yesterday and took him to a stable.

Two hundred men, supposed to be respectable, will go to a Greenback meeting and applaud Mr. Fogg to the echo when he says the Secretary of the Treasury ought to be inside a felon's cell and calls Gen. Grant the American Capt. Kidd, but if any one ventures to suggest that Mr. Fogg's power lies principally in his lungs, every one of these two hundred men will denounce such suggestion as base, indecent, scurrilous, low, cheap, &c., &c.

New England Directory.

The New England Business Directory for 1879 has just been issued by the publishers, Sampson, Davenport & Co., Boston, and an agent is now canvassing this vicinity for the work, having his city office with J. & E R. Robinson, 8 Exchange street.

The Directory has, ever since the date of its first publication, twenty-three years ago, been considered a book of reference of considerable value to all business men, giving as it does the names, occupations, and P. O. addresses of all merchants, manufacturers, professional and other business men throughout the entire New England States, and a list of the banks, savings banks, insurance, manufacturing, gas light and other incorporated companies, post offices and postmasters, newspapers, colleges, academies, expresses, railroads, populations of each city and town, etc., together with other useful information often required in the counting-room. All the popular features of the volume have been retained, and much new information added. The work of revision, unfortunately, has not been so thorough as we had a right to expect and the information in some cases is not only old but misleading. Omissions of this sort are perhaps unavoidable in a work of this magnitude, but they are none the less unpleasant.

Balls and Assemblies.

A grand testimonial benefit has been extended to D. H. Chandler, to come off at Lancaster Hall, Wednesday evening. If there is any one who deserves a substantial benefit it is Mr. Chandler. He has spared no effort to give Portland a band that has a repute throughout New England. He is always kind and accommodating and we hope to see such a party present on the occasion as will prove worthy of his efforts.

Fire at Cumberland.

The house of Isaac Skillings, in Cumberland, was burned Saturday night. The fire, it was thought, caught from ashes deposited in the woodhouse. Loss $2,500; no insurance. The barn was saved. A sleigh, harness and other articles were lost. Most of the furniture of the house was burned. The town insures upon the mutual plan. The authorities had made out a policy, but Mr. Skillings neglected to pay the premium, and it had run out.

WARD CAUCUSES.

Attention Called to Voting Lists.

The Democratic caucuses will be held tonight at 7.30 o'clock.

The Republican caucuses will be held at the ward-rooms to-morrow night at 7.30 o'clock to choose delegates to nominate a candidate for Mayor, and to nominate ward officers.

The Board of Aldermen will be in session tomorrow, and every day in the week thereafter, at the Alderman's room, City Building, to see names are on the voting lists. See to it that every name is on, and on correctly.

Greenback Ward Caucuses.

The first actual move in the coalition game was made last night when the Greenbackers nominated such ward officers as the Democrats told them they might. The caucuses were slimly attended and the enthusiasm was not remarkable. The Greenbackers appointed a committee to meet the Democratic committee and formally nominate Walker. The Greenbackers were allowed three aldermen and eight councilmen. For aldermen they selected Col. Albert H Waite in the first ward, Col. Spencer Rogers in the fifth, and Col. John E. Donnell in the seventh. There were a good many disappointed colonels after the nominations were made, among them Col. Todd, Col. King, Col. Montgomery, Col Drinkwater, Col. Turner, Col. Ames, Col. Merry, Col. Parker, and many others. Some of the disappointed ones are said to have been promised something in the future and all are looking for something. Col. Parker is to be made City Marshal and Col. Todd is strongly urged for the Treasury, while Col. Turner's friends are pressing his claims to the city clerkship Col. Merry thinks his experience in laying out corner lots for the Texas colony qualifies him for city engineer. Col. Drinkwater is willing to accept any office provided there is a salary attached. Col. King, who has had legal experience, thinks he would look well bound in law calf and labelled City Solicitor. Col. Ames thinks he could keep the Poor House. Col. Montgomery would like to put his license views into practice in the liquor agency. The following are the nominations:

WARD 1.

Alderman—Albert H Waite
Councilmen—Nathaniel Haskell.
Warden—Horace M. Sargent.
Constable—Nathan D. Eustis.
Delegates to nominate candidate for Mayor—A H Waite, A. Greeley, T. Burgess, H M. Sargent, N. Haskell.
(City Committee same.)

WARD 2.

Councilmen—Geo W. Rice.
Constable—Simon M Sawyer.
Delegates to nominate Mayor—Patrick O'Neil, Geo. W. Rice, Horatio Haley, D. A. Maddox, Simon M. Sawyer.

WARD 3.

Councilmen—John C. Leighton, Chas. D, Thomes.
Clerk—Chas. A. Maxwell.
Constable—John H. Verry.
Delegates to nominate Mayor—J. M Todd, Arthur Harding, J. C. Leighton, P. W. Daniels, M. J. Prince.

WARD 4.

Councilman—J. E. Fickett.
Constable—A. W. Barbour.
Delegates to nominate Mayor—Lewis Williams. Patrick Welch, J. E. Fickett, John McMain, J. J. Perry.

WARD 5.

Alderman—Spencer Rogers.
Councilman—P H. Gordon
Warden—John Harper.
Constable—E. L. Hall.
Delegates to nominate Mayor—J. M Edwards, Edward Burns, P. H. Gordon, John Harper, S. Chenery.

WARD 6.

John W. Parker called the meeting to order and nominated T. P. Place for chairman. Oliver Alden was elected secretary. It is reported that only one councilman was to have been nominated, but the caucus decided to nominate two. The following were the nominees.

Councilmen—J. D. Leathe, J. W. Parker.
Warden—T. P. Place.
Constable—C B Newton.
City Committee—F. L. Dow, Oliver Alden, J. W. Parker, J. L. Sears and A. W. Mayo.
Delegates to choose Mayor—J L Sears, A. W. Mayo, Oliver Alden, G. H. Saville, T. P. Place.

WARD 7.

There was a good deal of subdued enthusiasm about the Greenback caucus in ward 7. The whole performance suggested the average country funeral, only that it was a shade too mournful, not suggestive enough of a hope in a life to come. C B. Nash presided, nominating himself, and J. F. Turner acted as secretary. A committee was appointed to select a ticket and reported as follows:

Alderman—John E Donnell.
Councilman—Royal R. Burnham.
School Committee—L. A. Gray.
City Committee—(Same as last year.)
Delegates to the convention to nominate a combination candidate for Mayor—Messrs. Nash, Turner, Houston, Boyle and Merrill.

There were in all 23 present, just seven of whom took part in the meeting, by voting or otherwise. One of the outsiders thought that the combination would lose votes by making the arrangement. A Greenbacker put Clifford's vote at 300 Mr. Turner in a brief speech pretty clearly hinted that he did not favor the combination, and that things were very far from lively, in the committee of 70. He wanted a free expression of sentiment, but as those present did not happen to have any opinions of their own, none were expressed.

Athletic Sports.

Courtney names the first-class oarsmen of the states, for the coming season, in the following order; Riley, Johnson, Davis, Morris and Lee.

The New England championship is a subject that still seems to somewhat disturb the minds of both Frenchy Johnson and Hosmer. The former says Hosmer must row him a match race to decide the question between them, and that the race shall take place over the regular Charles river course. Hosmer says that Frenchy will be accommodated, and, as he has friends ready to back him, a race between the pair is among the probabilities early in the season. Both express a willingness to row Kennedy of this city.

Mr. Fred J. Engelhardt having brought Bessie Krohn from New York to walk on the same track with May Belle Sherman, in Boston, the friends of Miss Sherman have made some objection, claiming that Engelhardt should give his entire time as trainer to Belle. Mr. Engelhardt says that the ladies agreed to walk at the same time, and his only object is to develop the best lady athlete in the country; and he believes that the Danish lady and the New England girl have no superiors. One of the two, he thinks, will prove a wonder.

Another Narrow Escape on the Eastern.

The morning train from Boston over the Eastern Railroad had a narrow escape from destruction yesterday. The train was somewhat behind-hand at Conway Junction, and ran at increased speed to Kennebunk. At the latter place the train waited for refreshments as usual, and just as it was about to start for Portland a train-hand discovered that the great iron yoke on which all the springs of the mail-car rest, and which supports the trucks, had broken off as clean as it cut by a knife, and the long end had fallen down to within an inch or so of the ground. A great chain was procured and jack-screws, and the car braced up, but the strain was too much for the chain and snapped it. Another chain was procured, and, with the aid of the broken one, the car was sufficiently fixed to allow it to proceed. Had it not been for the lucky discovery, the first slight obstacle the broken yoke encountered might have caused a sad loss of life.

Accidents.

Col. Hamilton, of the 1st U. S. Artillery, fell on the sidewalk and broke his arm. The Col. is in charge of Fort Preble.

Prudence Hillman, over eighty years old, residing on Portland street, last Thursday fell out of bed to the floor, injuring herself internally so that she died yesterday.

Personal.

Mrs. Clara Hapgood Nash assisted her husband in the trial of the case of C H. Boyd vs. John Cronan yesterday in the Superior Court. Mrs. Nash was admitted to the bar in Washington county by Judge Barrows several years ago and she and her husband have formed the law partnership of F. C. & C. H Nash.

PULPIT AND PLATFORM.

Dr. Sarah W. Devoll will deliver the next lecture in the Mechanics course in Mechanics Hall, Monday evening on "The Maintenance of Health."

WEEKLY LIST OF PATENTS issued to residents of Maine reported for the Portland PRESS by Chas. E. Foster, Patent solicitor, 509 7th street, Washington, D. C.

W. A. Estes, China, plow, No. 212,205.
J. A. Knight, Auburn, cheese box, No. 211,100.

YOUNG MEN'S SOCIAL CLUB —The variety ball given by the Young Men's Social Club at Lancaster Hall last night saw a gallery full of spectators and a large dancing party, many of whom were attired in pretty and appropriate costumes. The affair was a great success.

Remarks of Mr. Dana of Portland,

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

ON THE

Resolve in Favor of the Maine General Hospital.

Mr. Speaker and gentlemen of the House of Representatives:

It is hardly necessary for me to say the year just past has been one of marked financial depression, requiring in the varied condition of society the practice of the most rigid economy to meet the ordinary expenses of life; consequently an unusual number of applications have been made to the Maine General Hospital for free beds. Forty-six applicants, without means and residing in different parts of State, have been received and treated on the score of humanity

This kind of patients cannot be treated at home, most of them requiring some surgical operation that they could not have but for the superior professional advantages which a well regulated hospital can always provide and they would have remained at home great sufferers and cripples for life if it were not for the free beds the State provides by its annual appropriation to this institution, and those persons would have become the unwilling subjects of town or city support.

With the requisite means for their maintenance, the hospital could be filled with this class of unfortunate patients I have referred to, and in a large majority of the cases they would be saved from becoming paupers to our cities and towns.

Many of you are familiar with its workings and know of the good it has done and is doing by receiving patients from all parts of the State and giving its medical and surgical attendance free to all who may come. To patients who are able to pay, board only is charged.

The hospital has not yet been running long enough to have obtained the entire support of the people of this State. Could the citizens of our State witness the great amount of good which the Maine General Hospital has done and is constantly doing, their sympathies would be secured and manifested by large donations for its support. Until a period comparatively recent, many of the diseases and operations were deemed incurable, which are now treated successfully.

The hospital has taken from the railroads, the streets and byways of our State, many a man who could not possibly have had the proper treatment at home, after meeting with an accident, and has had a degree of comfort and care, and been given back in health to his family and society at the small expense of one dollar a day for his board; no charge whatever for medical attendance; and if he was too poor to pay this small sum, he was treated all the same without pay, as long as the hospital had a dollar.

The age demands, the wants of the common people demand this appropriation a little longer. The treatment of patients in hospitals has shown a larger per cent. of recovery than in the homes of the common people. This cheering fact is established beyond a doubt by a series of experiments instituted from holier motives and crowned with happier results than any ever recorded in the annals of science. A few men in our State are justly entitled to a conspicuous station among the benefactors of their race, and I can mention none more entitled to the honor than Dr. John T. Gilman, President of the board of directors, the visiting physicians and surgeons of the Maine General Hospital, whom I have known for many years. They have exploded many of the old theories of practice in hospitals, and have discovered that skill, mildness and self devotion to the welfare of their patients, are the proper means for their restoration. Their labors have been hallowed by the spirit of humanity that inspired them. Reviving health and restoring happiness has been their only reward.

Many a man will advise a friend to go to the hospital for treatment, who will doubt and hesitate in the case of one of his own family. He is not able to account for the misgivings he feels, but they are in truth the result of early prejudice, and this early prejudice is always to be distrusted. Another reason is that the petty scandal that has from time to time been circulated in regard to all hospitals, has no doubt had its effect on the Maine General Hospital and it does not receive the support of paying patients that it should, or as it will in time, after the prejudice has worn away and the people know more of its benefits. There is a cause which more than all others at this time prevents people from availing themselves of the benefits of the Maine General Hospital—that is, want of means.

Although the services of the medical and surgical staff are free to all who may go there, yet the fund and contributions are not yet sufficient to pay the board and other expenses necessary to the proper conducting of an institution of this character, to only a limited number.

The day is not far distant when this hospital, like the Insane Hospital in this city, will be self-sustaining. It needs our care but a little longer.

This hospital is intended for all classes; not specially for the rich, nor entirely for the poor, but is open to all needing such services as it is its object to give.

Every institution of a charitable nature must have large bequests, generous contributions and constant aid to accomplish the good at which it aims, and establishing free beds is one step toward making a hospital what is most desirable it should be—a refuge for the penniless sick, a place where those without means to procure medical treatment and nursing can be cared for most faithfully, and enjoy every comfort.

The people of Maine know that with the advancement of science and civilization have come more enlightened methods of treating patients in hospitals, very many patients receive much better care and treatment than they possibly could have at their homes It is not only a "noble charity," as our Governor stated in his message last year, "but a duty we owe the unfortunate sick to care for them in their extremity," and should be generously performed. The Maine General Hospital embraces among its contributors some of the first men of the State; they have done and will do all in their power to continue to aid this institution with their money and their unceasing care. All new institutions of this character have in their first years of existence to struggle against prejudice, calumny and abuse of every sort, until they shall have gained the confidence of the people.

But I do know, gentlemen of this House, from my own knowledge that the professional gentlemen connected with the Maine General Hospital, have felt the weight of the responsibility resting upon them and have not proved unworthy of the trust committed them.

They have every incentive which can inspire human thought or effort to make all possible progress in the treatment of those committed to them and have in my judgement done all that men could do so alleviate the suffering and sick confined to their care There is not one connected with the Maine General Hospital that I would not trust my life with if I needed treatment.

The need of an appropriation has never been greater than at this time. The present depressed state of business will as I said before make calls for free beds greater than ever. This Hospital needs the fostering care of the State for a short time. It has gained much in the short time it has been in existence and this is enough we might say for to-day, but it is not enough for to-morrow. Life is never still.

I think my impressions of hospitals will hold good with all That is, the more we know of these institutions the more we will see the need of them, and will see the need of unlearning much in regard to them.

There is no need of my giving you any statistical matter about this hospital. Portland, its home, has contributed more than $90,000, to it. The Directors, who have been assailed by correspondents of the National Democrat, a paper in this city, have given more than $20,000 of their money to its support.

You have had its report on your desks, and are fully competent to judge of its standing. When an institution has such professional men as Drs. Gilman, Dana, Greene, Weeks, Small, Gordon, Thayer and Wood, and such gentlemen as Clapp, Brown, Spring, Thomas, Washburn, Jose and hosts of physicians and gentlemen all over the State for its patrons, who give without money and without price, their professional services, time and money to this institution. What more can I say?

Police.

For some time past Messrs. Woodman, True & Co. have missed various goods from their store on Middle street, and for some time they unjustly suspected a clerk who was perfectly innocent. Finally a piece of silk goods came into the hands of the police in a way that convinced them it was part of the missing property. A member of the firm identified the goods and it was then discovered that the thief was another clerk heretofore unsuspected. It appears he took goods home and sold them to his friends at what he called cost prices, and they paid him the money, supposing he would pay it over to the firm. The amount of the peculations foots up at cost prices about $215. As the young man has possessed an excellent reputation in the past his name is not given, so that he may have a chance to reform.

Officers Sterling and Harmon arrested a young fellow named Kelly, yesterday, and Officers Gribben and Burnham one named Wilcox, for the Robinson burglary. On examination these parties proved to be the guilty ones. Part of the property was recovered.

Edward Johnson stole an overcoat, the property of T. Gorham, yesterday, from the Union House.

School Committee.

The regular monthly meeting of the school committee was held last evening, His Honor, the Mayor, in the chair. Present Messrs. Burgess, Stanley, Shailer, Chadwick and Gray.

The records of the last meeting were approved.

Bain's Logic and Hopkins' Outlines of Man were adopted as text books in the High School.

Miss E. L. Robinson, teacher in the North School was granted leave of absence the rest of the school year, and that the committee on North School supply the vacancy.

The bills of the month, amounting to $120.57, were approved.

Dr. Shailer was requested to draft the annual report on the part of the board.

The annual report of the Superintendent of Schools was in part read.

Adjourned to one week from to-morrow evening.

DESTRUCTIVE FIRE.

Loss from $6,000 to $10,000.

The alarm pulled in from box 28 last evening was caused by smoke issuing from the large four-story, store front building, on Middle near the corner of Free street, known as the Evans Buildings, managed by T. H. Weston.

The ground floor is occupied by J. H. Rines & Co., dry goods, and the upper stories by J. E. Palmer, wholesale millinery. The department was promptly on the spot and the fire was confined to the rear of Messrs. Rines & Co.'s store, where it originated

The firm have had some plastering done in the basement and there was quite a hot fire to dry it. The heat was so great, according to the statement of the engineers, that it set fire to the "five cent" counter over it By the prompt action of the department the building was saved with but slight damage.

Messrs. Rines & Co., had carried, until recently, some $20,000 insurance, and their stock was valued at from $25,000 to $30,000. Several policies lately expired and at the time of the fire they had but $12,000 insurance divided as follows:

With Prentiss Loring $2,000 in the American of Philadelphia, $1,500 in the Hanover of New York, $2,000 in the Springfield of Springfield, Mass., and $1000 in the Phœnix of Brooklyn. With Dow, Coffin & Libby $1,500 in the Etna of Hartford, $1,500 in the Home of New York, and $1,500 in the North American. With Rollins & Adams $1000 in the Royal of Liverpool. The loss from water and smoke may run any where from $6,000 to $10,000.

The loss to the building will be covered by a hundred or two hundred dollars. The building is valued at some $20,000 covered by insurance. W D. Little & Co., have two policies of $3,000 each, one in the Commonwealth and the other in the Shoe and Leather Dealers of Boston.

The "five cent" counter had been covered with tin ware and in the excitement it was trodden into a thousand different shapes.

MUSIC AND THE DRAMA.

HOWARD'S VARIETIES.

Mr. Howard opened his new variety hall last evening to a fair-sized audience. The entertainment went off very well considering it was the first night and but one rehearsal had been held. Two drawbacks were the apparent lack of familiarity of the orchestra with the music, and the darkness of the stage. There was a lack of snap and ginger on the part of the company which we hope will be remedied in the future. Some of the features were very good such as Donahue and Cary, Joe Harrison and his comic dwarf, and the Lackawanna Spooners. But if Mr. Howard expects to do any kind of business in the variety line here he has got to engage a much more talented and varied class of performers. The comparison with Wally Ward's old companies is too much in favor of the former manager. There will be a change of bill tonight, and things will, we trust, go better.

H. M. S. PINAFORE.

"Pinafore" is the rage throughout the Union now. The Dramatic News correspondence shows that out of every ten cities at the present time eight have a Pinafore company. Under these circumstance it is evident that this comic opera takes hold of the popular and artistic tastes with equal force. The opera will be presented here with the full force of the Boston Museum singing company of 34 people, on Friday and Saturday next and at Saturday matinee. There was a large sale of seats yesterday, and we expect to see crowded houses at each performance. Get tickets at once.

ROBINSON CRUSOE.

There was a good demand for seats yesterday for the performance to be given by Maffit's burlesque troupe at Portland Theatre Wednesday and Thursday next. Robinson Crusoe is one of the burlesques that Lydia Thompson's company has made famous. Maffit is one of the best clowns in the country. Clara Fisher is well known here in connection with the long engagement at the opening of Shaw and Ellis's Museum, and afterwards with the Wethersby-Goodwin troupe. Harry Josephs was the Catherine in "Evangeline." E. S. Tarr and Flora Lee were in the same company, and Nat Jones and the other actors are very competent people. The piece will be well mounted, well costumed and winds up with a grand harlequinade.

D. S. D.

The performance of "The Country Squire" by the D. S. D. Club at G. A. R. Hall next Wednesday night, will form an attractive performance. Get tickets at Dr. Sylvester's or C. H. Lamson's.

NOTES.

Modjeska and Louise Pomroy will play on the New England circuit in April.

Father Giovanni, a French monk at Rome, whose marvellous tenor voice has drawn great crowds to the church where he sings, is said to be about to take the stage as a profession.

Miss Cary has been studying Carmen, and may appear in the role during the San Francisco engagement of the Strakosch company.

Mr. Charles H. Thayer is completing, and will soon produce with his company, a new 'dramatic absurdity" entitled "Next Door Neighbors," which is said to be an exceedingly amusing piece, containing even more fun than "Baby."

George F Learock, leading man at McVicker's Theatre, Chicago, left that establishment without notice last Tuesday, on account of a grievance he had against the management. and it was with great difficulty that a substitute was procured. Mr. McVicker denounced his course in strong terms before the audience on Tuesday night, and Learock has come out in a card defending himself.

There is to be an Old Folk's Concert in Plymouth Church on Friday evening, Feburary 28th. A very pleasant entertainment is in prospect for those who avail themselves of this opportunity.

The tickets for the Humpty Dumpty performances at Music Hall will be ready at the box office tomorrow.

The Greenback Fusion Leaders.

MR EDITOR:—Why should not there be a union between the Greenback and Democratic parties? Let us look at the leaders of the Greenback party a moment. There is Col. Spencer Rogers who left the Republican party in 1872 and has been an active Democrat ever since until last Summer when he went into the new party as a stool-pigion to rope in unwary Republicans. Col. Rogers consults Col. Lyman every day to get the cue, and is in his native element when in Col Lyman's company. Col Rogers never wanted an office, and is acting upon principle of course. There is Col. C. B Nash, always a Democrat, and now one at heart. He is loud for union. Col. A. H. Waite of Ward one, has had a hungry look for office for years. He smells an alderman's position. There is Col John E. Donnell, who is opposed to the Republican party for being "Shylocks" and is strong against all "Ring" rule, from the Ogdensburg R R. down. He is strong for union and reform Col. John M Todd is for union. He has driven John Sherman nearly crazy with reading his open letters. Col. Todd has always been a great financier and like Wm. M Wiswell Esq, always sees "millions in it. There is Col. Asa L. Ames, who did not seek military distinction in 1861. He is, as he has always been, a Democrat, and can unite with ease with his brother Democrats. Col. S. Chenery is another. He always voted the Democratic ticket. He and Col. Ames are light weights. Now we come to the *military* part of the show. Col. Montgomery is decidedly for union. He is a heavy property owner in the city and has been unmercifully taxed. The Colonel wants no office; his pension for wounds received in the service of his country being ample for his frugal needs. Col. George W. Parker left the Republican party because it was corrupt. He never wanted an office, although he had a number thrust upon him against his wishes and is afraid he may be the subject of an outrage by having the Wardenship of the State's Prison thrust upon him. He don't want it, would not take even a turnkey's place. Col. Parker is loud for Union for the sake of "Reform." I cite these few named alone among the many who compose the "Greenback party" in this city. After their nominations are made I propose to review them more fully, and will endeavor to show in a future article the status of the candidates of the Unionists.

They profess that they can carry Wards 1, 2, 3, 4 and 6. In my judgment they have "bit off more than they can chaw." Yours,

REPUBLICAN,

Maine Medical School.

BRUNSWICK, Feb. 24.

The school is in full blast and numbers about 90. No better school and no finer set of men can be found anywhere. An examination of considerable importance is held at the beginning of each term, and as a consequence would-be doctors cannot come out from the backwoods and carry back diplomas on their axe-handles. Of course these men go the large cities where beds are made for them. Our corps of instructors are just what we want, efficient and obliging. The graduating class numbers 36—the largest number for years.

At a meeting of the class Thursday evening, the following men were selected to represent the class organization:

President—W. Alden.
Vice President—C. T. Moulton.
Secretary—H. F. Benson.
Treasurer—Geo. F. Woods.
Executive Committee—Geo. B. Gurney, G. H. Snedd, R. R. Baston, Maxcey Drake.

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DEERING'S OAKS.—The committee of the city government, appointed for the purpose, held a preliminary meeting yesterday afternoon and appointed Friday evening next, at 7.30 o'clock, as the time, and the Common Council room the place, for the public hearing in reference to the Deering's Oaks matter.

CROOKED DETECTIVES.

Extorting Confessions to Convict Innocent Persons.

Two men named Conway and Cohen have recently been arrested in Boston for conspiracy to throw a railroad train from the track, and if the story told in the Boston Herald concerning their careers is true they are guilty not only of this crime but of several others, as heinous as this. The men are detectives and were appointed on the Massachusetts state police by Chief Detective Stephenson. Cohen is densely ignorant, hardly being able to write his name. Conway is more intelligent.

It will be remembered probably that in November 1874, Susan A. Hanson was shot dead one evening while sitting in the kitchen of her mother's house in Brookfield, N. H. She had been engaged to be married to one Joseph B. Buzzell, a stone mason, but he had deserted her and married another woman. Consequently she had sued him for breach of promise and the trial of the case was near at hand when she was shot Suspicion naturally fell on Buzzell as Miss Hanson's murderer and he was arrested and tried. He was defended by W. J. Copeland of South Berwick in this state. The evidence, though raising a strong suspicion, was insufficient for conviction and Buzzell was acquitted.

After the trial fires became frequent in the Brookfield neighborhood, and among the sufferers was John Churchill, who had been very active in pressing the prosecution of Buzzell. It was to ascertain the author of these fires, for there was no doubt but they were of incendiary origin, that the services of Detectives Cohen and Conway were called in. In the course of their investigations they came across a boy named Charles W. Cook, who had formerly worked for Buzzell. They arrested him on suspicion and finally obtained a confession from him that he set Mr. Churchill's barn on fire, and the further confession that he shot Miss Hanson at the instigation of Buzzell On the strength of this confession Buzzell was again arrested, this time as accessory to the murder. He was tried and convicted, principally on Cook's testimony. Cook said that Buzzell compelled him to fire at Miss Hanson, threatening if he did not to blow his head off. Exceptions were taken and the case is still to be argued before the full bench of New Hampshire.

The friends of Buzzell believed that the latter's conviction was the result of a conspiracy on the part of Cohen and Conway, and rival detectives began to think it strange that Conway and Cohen should be so successful in obtaining confessions (they had obtained a number before Cook's) and decided to watch them. Accordingly too detectives named Wilson and Davis cultivated the acquaintance of both of them and while Conway was somewhat jolly got an admission from him that Cook's confession was a put up job, to which subsequently he made affidavit. Cook was then hunted up and voluntarily confessed that the story told by him at Buzzell's trial was false. He said Conway and Cohen promised him immunity on the barn burning charge if he would confess the shooting of Miss Hanson, and swear that he did it at the instigation of Buzzell. He at first refused, but a repetition of the threat to send him up for 20 years if he did not, brought the confession sought. Cook now makes affidavit that as far as he knows Buzzell is entirely innocent of the crime for which he is under sentence of death. His confession and Conway's have been placed in the hands of Buzzell's counsel, who will move for a new trial on the ground of new evidence.

Cohen and Conway are also charged with falsely accusing two residents of Hingham with barn burning and the mutilation of the the statue of Gov. Andrew, and with manufacturing evidence to sustain these charges. One of these crimes, the mutilation of the the statue, it is suspected that they are themselves guilty of.

Their last exploit and the one for which they are now under arrest, is a conspiracy to throw a train from the Boston & Providence railroad, burn a depot and then manufacture evidence against some one, with the hope of securing his conviction of these crimes and themselves a reward which they supposed the railroad company would offer. Luckily their last plot was discovered before it was successful.

Yarmouth.

E. Dudley Freeman, who was recently admitted to the bar as a lawyer, has hung out his shingle. His office is in Storer's Block over Richards & Corliss' at the Falls.

The third entertainment in the Yarmouth course of lectures and concerts, which was to take place last Wednesday evening, by the Stockbridge Quartette of Portland, has been indefinitely postponed.

Sanford Soule has opened a singing school at the school house in District No. 9, which is quite well attended.

The winter term of school in District No. 9 closed Friday. Mr. Winchester of Monson was teacher.

Mr. La Forest Howe of Boston delivered a very interesting address on temperance at the First Parish chapel Friday evening. The audience was small owing to bad weather.

Blake's dancing school closes next Friday evening. A grand ball will be given at Masonic Hall Music by Wyman's band.

Washington's birthday was celebrated with tar buckets and the blowing of horns.

The Yarmouth Brass Band will give a grand concert at Masonic Hall Wednesday evening next. They will be assisted by the best talent in town.

Rev. Mr. Davies of North Yarmouth occupied the pulpit of the Central Church, and Dr. Weston of Westbrook Seminary at the Universalist on Sunday last.

A gospel temperance meeting was held at the chapel of the First Parish church Sunday evening. The meeting was addressed by Mr. La Forest Howe of Boston and Rev. Joseph Torrey of Yarmouth. The building was packed to over flowing.

Standish.

The Republicans of Standish have made the following nominations:

Moderator—Samuel Dingley.
Clerk and Treasurer—Wm. H. Libby.
Selectmen—Orville S Sanburn, Tobias Lord, Jr., Joseph W. Knight
S. S. Com.—Leander H. Moulton.
Collector and Constable—Alfred S. Cousins.
Auditor—Eliakim Wescott.

ROCKLAND LOCALS.

MONDAY, Feb. 24.

The following sentence is taken from an item printed in the Camden Herald last week, giving the particulars regarding a launching at that village: "She is named for the wife of Capt. O. H. P. Rogers of St. George, who will command her." This is a very uncommon occurrence, and she must certainly be a brave woman to be capable of commanding a three-masted schooner. When she sails she should take the gentleman in tow who originated the above quotation.

A delegation of twenty-five members of Twombly Lodge, Camden, visited Hamilton Lodge, last Saturday evening.

It is now evident that each party will support a candidate for Mayor at the coming election. Ward seven people say they are going for J. Fred Hall, the Greenback nominee. It seems as if they might find a man in their own ward who is better qualified for the important office.

Our harbor has not been obstructed with ice sufficiently to hinder vessels from landing at any of the wharves, until recently. This is a fact of rare occurrence.

The time of holding the weekly meeting of Knox Lodge of Good Templars, at Thomaston, has been changed from Saturday to Wednesday evening.

Steamer Cambridge did not arrive in this city until 7 o'clock Saturday evening.

The Episcopal minister of Thomaston has for the past two Sundays been obliged to bring his snow-shoes with him, in order to get into his church in this city. The least the Rockland people can do is to shovel out the doorway.

Steamer City of Richmond did not arrive in this city last Saturday until 9 o'clock a. m., owing to the storm.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Knox & Lincoln Railroad will be held at City Hall, Bath, Wednesday, March 12, at 10.30 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of hearing the reports of officers of the company, choose a board of directors, and to see if the stockholders, in case the cities and towns shall pay the bonds issued in aid of the company, before their maturity, will vote to authorize the execution of a new mortgage or other contract if any is deemed necessary, or to continue the lien of said cities and towns upon the franchise and property of said company, and what action will be taken in regard to same.

Three United States revenue cutters were in our harbor Saturday afternoon, viz.: Dallas, Woodbury and McCulloch.

A daring burglary was perpetrated on Main street Friday night at the store of Mr. Chas. A. Haskell. The robbers obtained thirty-five boxes of cigars valued at $150, and $4 money from the money drawer, on which there is an alarm lock, without damaging any part of it. It is probably some parties who were pretty well acquainted with the store and familiar with the drawer or else it could not have been opened the way it was.

At the Greenback labor caucus held in ward five Friday evening, the following ward officers were nominated: For Alderman, John Carr; Councilmen, Geo. L Snow, E. J. Ulmer, P. B. Bailey; Ward Clerk, S. H. Hall; Warden, P. P. Prescott; Constable, Joshua Hall. At another held Saturday evening, the following ticket was arranged for Ward Three: For Aldermen, T. B. Spear; Councilmen, Aramanda Daggett, Leonard Campbell, James Adams; Ward Clerk, David Hamilton; Warden, G. O. Payson; Constable, John Hamilton.

Twenty tramps stopped at the station house Friday night. One arrived from Waldoboro', making in all thirty which were in our city Saturday morning. They have been about here for the past two weeks, and represent nearly every part of the United States—not looking above murder, burglary or any other crime that can be committed. They say they had rather serve a life sentence in Wiscasset jail or Thomaston State Prison than to do a day's labor, and will die before their hands shall do any work whatever. The people of this city are in danger of their lives, with such a gang at this about our streets. They go around begging clothing, and after obtaining it either burn it up or pawn it for whatever sum they can obtain, spending their money for rum. Your correspondent was informed by City Marshal Ulmer Saturday that he had ordered them to leave immediately, and if they did not comply with his command he should remove them to Wiscasset.

The entertainment of the Gen. Berry Engine Company in Farwell Hall, Saturday evening, for the benefit of Warren White, Esq., was repeated with new attractions before a large audience, and the perfectness with which the ladies and gentlemen took their parts is highly deserving of credit. The evening's entertainment could not have been improved in any possible way.

BATH LOCALS.

MONDAY, Feb. 24.

City election March 3.

Mercury 3 p. m., 23° above zero.

Miss Emma Hogan was sworn as clerk of Register of Deeds this morning.

Twenty-five loads of hay at city scales this morning.

The "Times" today spells the hotel, "Sagadahoc," and in an article above complains that we use that manner in preference to adding the "k." Consistency is not found at the Times office.

Grand concert at Wesley church, Tuesday night.

The Trifolpinus Club hops to-night at Music Hall.

Rev. Costello Weston has removed to Gloucester.

The "Times" states that Hickey and Pembroke will play a billiard match. Hickey's engagement with Mr. Kimball ceased today, and Hickey has left town for Boston.

Knickerbocker Steam Towage Co. rigged a temporary smoke-stack at the machine shop this morning, and making an impromptu drill, began boring an artesian well through the ledge south of the shop. The apparatus worked satisfactorily. The water will be used for boiler purposes. The new thirty foot stack has been shipped from Boston and is daily expected.

Mr. William Hodgdon, the carriage builder, while chopping wood this morning, cut his hand severely.

The story of property in England left a Bath man proves a "sell." One of many for the "Times."

A rowdy raised a racket at the Baptist and Reform Club meetings last night.

Goss, Sawyer & Packard have completed the frame of the new steamer.

Saturday night Mr. Elisha Small of Bowdoin, formerly a student at New Orleans, and a brother of Capt. Joseph Small, died of Brights disease of the kidneys.

Two youths, Jesse Savage and George E. Roderick, with a crowd of young roughs, met near the Pest House for a prize fight with seconds on Sabbath afternoon. Officers Tibbetts and Sprague dispersed the crowd. Afterwards Savage was arrested and Roderick gave himself up. They were released well scared but were not locked up.

Judges Barrows and Peters are in town hearing law points on the ice case of Partington et al. of Bowdoinham vs Dingley et al of Gardiner. The action is regarding delivery of ice at Washington. The suit involves the sum of $3000 Whitmore of Gardiner for deft. Tallman & Larrabee for plf.

Hogan and Wiggin at the former's office this afternoon examined the accounts of the estate of S. D. Reed of Phipsburg.

Grace church sociable at the residence of Mr. Chas. H. McLellan, Washington street, Tuesday night.

Ash Wednesday, Grace church services at 10½ a. m. 7½ p. m.

Sagadahoc Historical Society are engaged in genealogical research. In their custody is a Bible belonging to the Crooker family which was published in 1756. It was purchased in England by Isaiah Crooker, a Scot, who came to Bath from Plymouth and lived in the house back of St. Mary's church, which is now standing, then occupying the present site of the church.

Mr Joseph B. Ratcliff has a deed of land near Boston, given by the governor of Massachusetts in 1660 to a John Button.

Mr. Eben Moses died suddenly about 4 a. m. Sunday morning, of paralysis. He was a brother of the late W. V. Moses.

Mr. Charles A. Turner an old resident, town crier at one time, a member of the city council, died Saturday of kidney disease.

THOMASTON LOCALS.

MONDAY, Feb. 24.

William Flint is the oldest subscriber to the PRESS in this place.

The business prospects in this town for next year are as good as can be expected. There will probably be two ships built here and about the same quantity of lime manufactured as there has been in years past.

S. H. Allen has a coasting sled that he thinks will beat anything in the state.

Schooner Effie J. Simmons is in the river with ice, bound for Norfolk, and will sail first wind.

Schooner Mary B. Smith, with lime from J. A. Crighton, and schooner Telegraph, with lime from J. O. Cushing & Co., will sail for New York first wind.

Schooner Hellen Thompson and schooner Silver Spray, Rupel, New York, are below and will come up the first chance to load lime for New York.

The convention of Iron Clad Reform Clubs for Knox county, which was to be held here next week, is postponed on account of the dedication of the Baptist church, and Union Hall being engaged to the Advents.

SACO AND BIDDEFORD LOCALS.

MONDAY, Feb. 24.

SACO.

York Institute meeting Tuesday evening.

Sociable by Ligonia Degree Temple Tuesday.

A frightened horse ran up Main and down Beach streets yesterday noon. The driver jumped out. Two gentlemen were knocked down but not much hurt. The sleigh was a perfect wreck.

Major Paul A. Chadbourne has sold his insurance office to Capt. Alfred Patterson.

Could our Street Commissioner walk the length of Main street on the sidewalk, he would see the need of sand or gravel.

James & Foss' tallow factory was burned tonight. Insurance $2500.

BIDDEFORD.

Robinson Crusoe, Tuesday evening in City Hall, will draw a crowd. The papers say the pantomime is excellent.

Mr. Simon H. Milliken of Saco died this afternoon.

Public schools begin today.

The Universalist Dramatic Club give their entertainment Tuesday at the vestry.

STATE NEWS

ANDROSCOGGIN COUNTY.

Paley M. Sweat, who stole a pocket book containing $28 from the safe of R. Dresser & Co., of Lewiston, has been sentenced to the Reform School during his minority.

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

It is reported that a New York man has contracted to build the railroad, eighteen miles in length, from Farmington up the Sandy river valley next season, and that he has bought out the narrow-gauge railroad between Billerica and Taunton, Massachusetts, lately discontinued, with its rolling stock and everything complete, and will employ the material in building the Sandy River road.

KENNEBEC COUNTY.

The court has overruled exceptions in the case of Charles B. Gilman, convicted of assault with intent to kill, and he will be held for sentence at the coming term of the court.

PENOBSCOT COUNTY.

Jonathan Heath aged 94 and Mrs. Jacob Lovejoy aged 91, died in Charleston last week.

Another attempt is to be made to establish a paper in Newport, Corinna also is to have a paper.

Prof. C. H. Fernald of the Agricultural College has returned home.

SAGADAHOC COUNTY.

Davis Blanchard, depot master at Richmond, has received notice of his discharge, and petitions for his retention are being numerously signed by the people of Richmond.

When the season for making presents comes, make some sufferer of your acquaintance a present of Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, and note the benefit it will do him and the happiness you will receive.

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STATE OF MAINE,

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 25, A. D, 1879.

This is to give notice that on the twenty fourth day of February A D. 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Cornelius V. Mansise of Deering, in said county, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor on his own petition filed on the twenty-first day of February, A. D. 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the creditors of said debtor to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in Portland in said County, on MONDAY, the seventeenth day of March, A. D 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E. R. BROWN,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

Portland Dry Dock.

THE annual meeting of the Stock-holders of the **Portland Dry Dock** will be held at the **Secretary's office No. 93 Exchange street, Portland, Maine, on Tuesday, March eleventh A D 1879, three o'clock P. M**, for the election of officers and the transaction of any other business that may be legally acted upon.

By order of the Directors.
feb25eod2w ARDON W. COOMBS, Secretary.

TILES.

For all purposes for which Tiles are used, at

CYRUS F. DAVIS' ART STORE,

fe25eodtf **8 ELM STREET.**

Citizens' Mutual Relief Society.

STATED meeting for February will be held at Reception Hall, THURSDAY EVENING next, 28th inst., at 7½ o'clock.

Directors meet at same place half an hour previous.

Per order,
fe25d3t M. N. RICH, Secretary.

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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

STATE OF MAINE.

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 25, A. D. 1879.

This is to give notice that on the twenty fourth day of February, A D., 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland against the estate of Andrew J Hill, of Cape Elizabeth, in said county, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor on his own petition filed the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in Portland, in said county on Monday, the seventeenth day of March, A. D 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E. R. BROWN,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.

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STATE OF MAINE.

CUMBERLAND, SS: February 25th, A. D., 1879.

THIS is to give notice that on the twenty-fourth day of February, A. D. 1879, a warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Frederick J. Waterman, of Portland in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on his own petition, filed on the twenty-first day of February, A D 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in said Portland, on Monday, the seventeenth day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E. R. BROWN,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.

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STATE OF MAINE.

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 25, A D. 1879.

This is to give notice, that on the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Freeman L. Brown of Westbrook, in said County, adjudged to be an insolvent debtor, on his own petition, filed the eighteenth day of February, A. D. 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; that the payment of any debts, and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court Room in said Portland, on Monday, the seventeenth day of March, A. D. 1879 at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E R. BROWN,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.

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Administrator's Sale Schrs. Alaska and Louisa Francis at Auction.

I SHALL sell on SATURDAY, March 1st at 12 M. at office of F. O. Bailey & Co., 35 Exchange St.
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AGRICULTURAL.

Renting Farms.

Inquiries as to the terms upon which farms should, could or might be rented, are just now very numerous. It is plain that in this respect we are all in a transition state, and are approaching the time and circumstances when the practice of renting farms will be more general. This is seen to be inevitable, when we consider the rapidly advancing value of land, the increasing number of persons who desire to become farmers, and the large capital now required to stock a farm—much more both to own and stock one. Upon what terms that are fair to owners and tenants, then, should a farm be rented, so that a clear understanding of them can be had, and disputes avoided?

The manner of renting upon shares is open to serious objections upon the latter score. The division of the products becomes complicated by so many unforeseen contingencies, that disputes can scarcely be prevented, and with the best disposition to avoid trouble one or other party cannot fail to feel aggrieved. The owner furnishes land and house, and usually the stock and feed for them, the tenant generally supplies only the labor. The rule which has existed for years back has been that the land takes one-third, the stock and tools one-third, and the labor one-third. Then if either party supplies two of these three he should have two-thirds of the gross products, and the other one-third. But the feeding of the stock is generally the great difficulty which cannot be overcome. In the many cases which are occurring in this neighborhood where farms are high in value, there is almost invariably some dispute arising out of this matter of feeding the stock and how to get over this has so far been an unsolvable problem. Many elements enter into it, and these are so uncertain, that it seems impossible to arrive at any satisfactory arrangement, and consequently few tenants remain the second year on the same farm. For instance, if the tenant furnishes half the cows and other live stock, it is natural to expect that he would do better by his own animals than by those of the owner, and the fact that this is generally done or supposed to be done, is a source of trouble. If the owner furnishes the whole of the stock, the tenant grudges the salable produce which is fed to them, as this reduces the quantity subject to division; and so on through the whole catalogue of items. The fact is, I do not think any arrangement can possibly be made by which all these conflicting interests can be adjusted satisfactorily to owner and tenant, both by reason of the multiplicity of points to be met and arranged for, and the nature of those points as well. I have had so much difficulty myself in arranging these matters that I have found it impossible to let my farm on shares, and am compelled to continue to hire men at monthly or yearly wages.

The terms I offered were to give the tenant one third of everything that was sold from the farm, viz.: milk, butter, calves, sweet corn, potatoes, eggs, poultry, pork, grain, &c., after the stock had been fed and sufficient reserved to replace the stock on hand when the bargain was made. All the hay, straw, and corn fodder were to be fed to stock which was kept up in number sufficient to consume all these. The tenant was to find all the labor needed on the farm for the ordinary work, any extra work, such as new fencing, ditching, &c., to be paid for by me He could put in such crops as he wished, and if there was not sufficient manure for these, I would purchase fertilizers or such other manure as could be procured; also all bran and other extra feed that I might think were needed for the cows, and for the purpose of making manure. The farm was stocked with 14 cows, the milk of which was sold at 7 cents a quart, delivered on a near-by route. I could easily figure up an income to the tenant of $1,000 yearly, but I could find none who would run the risks of taking the farm for a single year. In addition to this possible $1,000, there was a fair house, garden and fuel provided. The trouble evidently was that there were so many items to be provided for, and so many possible contingencies that could not be provided for, that the result seemed to be doubtful. During a considerable experience in farming, and among farmers, I have not yet found one case in which tenant and owner were both satisfied; there was always a compromise, in which one of the parties thought he suffered, and generally both thought so. I cannot see any way clear to get over these difficulties, unless it be the European system of a lease for a term of years at a fixed money rent, nor can I see how any plan of dividing the produce, except upon an exclusively grain-growing farm, can ever be made satisfactory to both parties interested. The investigation of this subject is now pertinent and very important.—*Corr. of Country Gentleman.*

SOMEBODY'S CHILD.

Somebody's child is dying—dying with the flush of hope on his young face and an indescribable yearning to live and take an honored place in the world beside the companions of his youth. And somebody's mother is thinking of the time when that dear face will be hidden where no ray of hope can brighten it—when her heart and home will be left desolate—because there was no cure for consumption. Reader, if the child be your neighbor's, take this comforting word to the mother's heart *before it is too late.* Tell her that consumption is curable, that men are living to-day, aged, robust men, whom the physicians pronounced incurable at the age of twenty-five, because *one lung had been almost destroyed by the disease.* Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is a most efficient alterative for separating the scrofulous matter from the blood and lungs, and imparting strength to the system. It has cured hundreds of consumptives.

PORTLAND POST OFFICE.

Office Hours.

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Sundays open for Carriers and General Delivery from 9 to 10 a m.

PORTLAND, ME., Feb. 17, 1879.

Arrival and Departure of Mails.

Boston and intermediate offices. Arrive at 12.20 and 11.40 p. m. Close at 8.15 a. m, 12.10, 2,45 and 9.00 p. m.

Boston and the West. Arrive at 5.20 p m.

Intermediate or Way Mails via Boston and Maine Railway. Arrive at 12.20 and 8.10 p m. Close at 8.15 a. m. and 2.45 p. m.

Great Southern and Western. Arrive at 12.20 p. m., and 11.40 p. m. Close at 8.15 a. m., 12.10, 2.45 and 9.00.

Bangor and connecting routes. Arrive at 1.00 p. m. Close at 11.30 a. m.

Augusta and connecting routes. Arrive at 8.50 a. m. and 1.00 p. m. Close at 11.30 a. m. and 4.45 p. m.

Morning Northwestern by G. T. R. Arrive at 8.35 a m. Close at 7.15 a m.

Lewiston and Auburn. Arrive at 2.05 and 8.50 a. m., and 1.00 p. m. Close at 6.30 and 11.30 a. m and 4.45 p. m.

Castine, Deer Isle, Sedgwick, S. W. Harbor, Mt. Desert, Jonesport, Machias, Machiasport, East Machias, Millbridge and Bar Harbor, via each steamer. Arrive at 6 a. m. Close at 9 p. m.

Eastport, via each steamer. Arrive at 6.00 a m. Close at 4.45 p. m.

Foreign Mails, via New York, day previous to sailing of steamers. Close at 8.15 a. m.

Express, Augusta, Bangor and the East. Arrive at 2.05 a m. Close at 9.00 p m.

Skowhegan intermediate offices and the north. Arrive at 1.00 p. m. Close at 11.30 a. m.

Skowhegan also closes at 9.00 p m.

Canada and intermediate offices, via G. T. R. Arrive at 1.00 p. m. Close at 12.45 p. m.

Nova Scotia and Prince Edward's Island. Close at 11.30 a. m. and 9 p. m.

Swanton, Vt., and intermediate offices, via P. & O. R, R. Arrive 9.05 p. m. Close 6.45 a. m.

Fryeburg, Me., and intermediate offices, via P. & O. R. R. Arrive 11.15 a. m. Close 2.00 p. m.

Worcester, Mass., and intermediate offices, via P. & R. R. R. Arrive 1.20 p m. Close 12.10 p. m.

Rochester, N. H., and intermediate offices, via P & R. R. R. Close 7 00 a. m.

Carriers' deliveries at 7.00 and 10.00 a. m. and 1.00 and 3.00 p. m. Collections at 7.00 and 11.00 a. m., and 2.15 and 8 00 p. m.

Stated Meetings.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

The regular meetings of the City Council take place the first Monday evening of each month.

The School Committee meet the fourth Monday evening of each month.

MASONIC.

At Masonic Hall, No. 95 Exchange Street.

YORK RITE.

BLUE LODGE—Ancient Land-Mark, first Wednesday; Portland, second Wednesday; Atlantic, third Wednesday; Hiram, Tuesday, on or next before every full moon, at Masonic Hall, Town House, Cape Elizabeth.

CHAPTERS—Greenleaf R. A. C., first Monday; Mt. Vernon, R. A. C., third Monday.

COUNCIL—Portland C. R. & S. Masters, second Monday.

COMMANDERIES OF K. T.—Portland, fourth Monday; St. Albans, second Thursday; Blanquefort, 3d Thursday.

GRAND BODIES—Grand Lodge, first Tuesday in May; Grand Chapter, first Tuesday evening in May; Grand Council, Wednesday 2 p. m.; Grand Commandery, Wednesday evening.

MASONIC RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Fourth Wednesday in every month.

PORTLAND SCHOOL OF MASONIC INSTRUCTION—Second and fourth Tuesday of each month.

ANCIENT ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE.

LODGE—Yates Grand Lodge of Perfection, first Friday.

COUNCIL—Portland Council P. of J. second Friday.

CHAPTER—Dunlap Chapter Rose Croix de H. Third Friday.

CONSISTORY—Maine Consistory, S. P. R. S., fourth Friday in March, June, September and December.

I. O. O. F.

At Odd Fellows' Hall, Farrington Block, Congress Street.

RELIEF ASSOCIATION—Third Tuesday in the month.

BENEFIT ASSOCIATION—Board of Directors meet first Monday evening of each month. Association meets first Monday evening of January, April, July and October.

LODGES—Maine, on Monday evenings; Ancient Brothers, on Thursday evenings; Ligonia, on Friday evenings; Beacon, on Tuesday evenings; Unity, No. 3, on Wednesday evening; Ivy, D. of R., second and fourth Saturday of each month.

ENCAMPMENT—Machigonne, first and third Wednesday, Eastern Star, second and fourth Wednesday; Portland, first and third Friday; Falmouth, No. 11. first and third Tuesdays.

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At Templars' Hall, No. 100 Exchange Street.

COUNCIL—Maine, first and third Monday in each month.

TEMPLE—Forest City, No. 1, every Wednesday evening.

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FOREST CITY COMMANDERY No. 16 convenes at P. O. S. of A. Hall, Plum St., on first Thursday of each month.

BOSWORTH POST G. A. R.—Meeting every Friday evening in Mechanics' Hall, corner of Congress and Casco streets.

PORTLAND TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION, No. 75—Second Saturday of each month.

PORTLAND SOCIETY OF NATURAL HISTORY—At their library room, City Hall, on the first and third Monday evenings of each month.

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MAINE CHARITABLE MECHANIC ASSOCIATION—Corner of Congress and Casco streets. First Thursday in each month.

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PORTLAND TEMPERANCE UNION—Congress Hall. Business meetings Thursday evenings; public meetings Sunday evenings, at 7 o'clock.

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Postal cards, one cent each, go without further charge to all parts of the United States and Canadas with an additional one-cent stamp they go to all parts of Europe.

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Portland Wholesale Prices Current.

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Apples.	
Green	1 00 @ 2 00
Dri'd West'n	3 @ 5
do Eastern	3 @ 5
Ashes.	
Pearl, ⅌ lb	11 @ 11½
Pot	6½@ 8
Beans.	
Pea	1 50 @ 1 75
Mediums	1 50 @ 1 65
Yellow Eyes	@ 1 75
Bread.	
Pilot Sup	7 00 @ 9 00
do ex 100 lb.	5 50 @ 7 00
Ship	3 50 @ 4 00
Crackers ⅌ 100	25 @ 30
Butter.	
Family, ⅌ lb	20 @ 23
Store	10 @ 15
Candles.	
Mould, ⅌ lb	12½@ 13
Sperm	30 @ 31
Charcoal.	
Pine	@
Hard Wood, Oak	@
Birch, Maple	@
Pit burned, Maple	@
Cheese.	
Verm't, ⅌ lb	8 @ 9½
Maine	8 @ 9½
N.Y.Factory	8 @ 9½
Coal—(Retail.)	
Cumberland	5 50 @ 6 00
Pictou	@
Chestnut	5 00 @ 5 50
Franklin	6 00 @ 6 50
Lehigh & W. Ash	5 50 @ 6 00
Coffee.	
Java,⅌lb	24 @ 27
Rio	13½@ 15½
Cooperage.	
Hhd.Shooks	
Mol. City	150 @
Sug. City	@ 1 00
Sug. C	@ 85
Pine Sugar box shooks	48 00 @50 00
Hhd Headings,	
Spruce,35in.	19 @ 20
Pine	22 00 @23 00
Hard Pine	24 00 @26 00
Hoops, 14 ft.	25 00 @28 00
Short do 8 ft	10 00 @12 00
7 ft.	8 00 @
Pop'r Staves	16 00 @17 00
Spruce, r'gh.	@14 00
R. O. Hhd. Staves	25 00 @28 00
Copper.	
Cop.Bolts	@ 28
Y.M.Sheathing	@ 14
Bronze do	@ 14
Y. M. Bolts	@ 20
Cop.bottoms	26 @ 28
Cordage.	
Amer'n ⅌ lb	10 @ 11
Russia	12 @ 13
Manilla	12 @ 13
Manilla Bolt Rope	@ 14
Drugs and Dyes.	
Acid Oxalic	15 @ 20
" tart	@ 55
Alcohol ⅌gl.	2 20 @ 2 25
Alum	4 @ 5
Ammonia carb	20 @ 23
Ashes pot	6 @ 7
Bals copabia	45 @ 50
Beeswax	36 @ 40
Bleaching powders	3 @ 5
Borax	11 @ 13
Brimstone	@ 3½
Cochineal	70 @ 75
Copperas	1½@ 3
Cream tartar	30 @ 32
Ex Logwood	12 @ 17
Gum Arabic	25 @ 65
Aloes cape	15 @ 25
Camphor	@ 33
Myrrh	@ 45
Opium	4 75 @
Shellac	28 @ 30
Indigo	90 @ 1 25
Iodine	@ 5 50
Ipecac	1 50 @ 1 60
Licorice rt	15 @ 20
Calex	34 @ 40
Morphine	3 75 @
Oil bergamot	3 50 @ 3 75
Cod liver	1 25 @ 1 50
Lemon	@ 3 00
Olive	1 25 @ 1 75
Peppt	2 50 @ 3 25
Winterg'n	2 25 @ 2 50
Potass bromide	45 @ 50
Chlorate	28 @ 30
Iodide	4 00 @ 4 25
Quicksilver	@ 65
Quinine	@ 3 60
Rt. Rhubarb	75 @ 1 50
Rt. Snake	35 @
Saltpetre	10 @
Senna	15 @ 25
Seed canary	2 25 @ 2 75
Cardamons	1 95 @ 2 50
Soda, bi-carb	4 @ 7½
Sal	2½@ 3
Sulphur	3½@ 4½
Sugar lead	22 @ 25
White wax	55 @ 60
Vanilla bean	11 00 @15 00
Vitrol blue	@ 10
Duck.	
No. 1	@ 29
No. 3	@ 27
No. 10	@ 19
9 ox	@ 15
10 oz	@ 19
Dyewoods.	
Barwood	@ 3
Brazil wood	5 @ 7
Camwood	6 @ 7
Fustic	2½@ 3
Logwood	2 @ 2½
Campeachy	2 @ 2½
St. Domingo	1½@ 2
Peach Wood	@ 5½
Red Wood	@ 2½
Fish.	
Cod, per qtl.,	
L'ge Shore	3 25 @ 3 75
L'ge Bank	3 12½@ 3 37½
Small	2 50 @ 2 75
Pollock	1 75 @ 2 25
Haddock	1 50 @ 1 75
Hake	1 25 @ 1 50
Herring,	
Shore,⅌ bbl	3 50 @4 50
Scal'd⅌bx	20 @25
No. 1	13 @15
Mackerel,⅌bbl.	
Bay No. 1	13 00 @15 00
Bay No. 2	7 00 @ 8 00
Large 3	6 00 @ 7 50
Shore No. 1	15 00 @17 00
No. 2	6 50 @ 7 00
No. 3	3 25 @ 4 25
Small	2 25 @ 3 00
Clam Bait	none.
Flour.	
Superfine	3 75 @ 4 25
Ex-Spring	5 00 @ 5 50
xx Spring	5 25 @ 5 75
Pat't Spring wheats	7 75 @ 8 75
Mich'n Winter best	5 50 @ 5 75
Low Grade Michigan	4 75 @ 5 50
St.Louis winter fair	5 25 @ 5 50
Win'r good	5 75 @ 5 00
" best	6 50 @ 6 75
Fruit.	
Almonds,	
Soft shell	19 @ 20
Shelled	35 @ 42
Peanuts	1 10 @ 1 50
Citron	15 @ 17
Currants	5 @ 6
Dates	7 @ 9½
Figs	12 @ 18
Prunes	8 @ 10
Raisins,	
Layer,new	1 75 @ 2 25
L. M. new	1 75 @ 2 00
New Val. ⅌ lb.	7½@ 7½
Lemons ⅌bx	3 00 @ 3 50
Oranges ⅌ b.	@ 8 00
Oranges, Sicily	1 75@2 25
Gunpowder.	
Blasting	3 50 @ 4 00
Sporting	5 50 @ 6 50

Grain.	
Corn, car lots	50 @ 51
Yellow "	@ 52
bag lots.	@ 54
Meal	@ 50
Rye	@ 75
Barley	@
Oats	37 @
Middlings	@23 00
Shorts	@20 00
Hay.	
Pres'd,⅌ton	10 00 @13 00
Loose	10 00 @13 00
Straw	7 00 @ 9 00
Iron.	
Common	1¾@ 2¼
Refined	2¼@ 2½
Norway	4½@ 5
Cast Steel	14 @ 17
German St'l	8 @ 10
Shoe Steel	@ 3½
Spring Steel	6½@ 9
Sheet Iron	
Common	3½@ 4
H. C.	5 @ 5½
Russia	12½@ 13
Galv	7 @ 10
Lard.	
Kegs,⅌lb	7¾@ 7¾
Tierces ⅌ lb.	7¾@ 7¾
Pail	9 00 @ 9 75
Caddies	— @ —
Lead.	
Sheet&Pipe	4½@ 5½
Pig	4¼@ 5
Leather.	
New York,	
Light	19 @ 20
Mid.Weight	20 @ 21
Heavy	22 @ 25
Slaughter	27 @ 30
Gd.Dam'g'd	18 @ 19
Am. Calf	70 @ 90
Lime.	
Rockland c'sk.	@ 90
Lumber	
Clear Pine,	
Nos. 1 & 2	45 00 @55 00
No. 3	30 00 @35 00
Shipping	15 00 @20 00
Spruce	10 00 @12 00
Hemlock	8 50 @11 00
Clapboards,	
Spruce ex.	22 00 @24 00
do No. 1.	12 00 @15 00
Clear	16 00 @20 00
Pine	25 00 @50 00
Shingles,	
Ceder ex.	2 75 @ 3 00
Cedar exNo1	1 75 @ 2 00
Spruce	1 25 @ 1 75
Laths,spruce	1 50 @ 1 75
Pine	@ 2 00
Matches.	
Star,⅌ gross	2 00 @ 2 10
Molasses.	
Porto Rico	35 @ 43
Cienfuegos	none
Muscovado	30 @ 34
New Orleans new crop	37 @ 45
Barbadoes	31 @ 33
Sagua	00 @ 00
Nails.	
Cask	2 25 @ 2 35
Naval Stores.	
Tar, ⅌ bbl.	@ 3 50
Pitch (C.Tar)	@ 4 00
Wil. Pitch	@ 3 50
Rosin	3 00 @ 5 00
Turp'tine,gl.	33 @ 35
Oil.	
Kerosene	@ 17
Port.Ref.P'tr	@ 12
Devoe Brill't	@ 20
Pratt's Astral	@ 20
Ligonia	19½@
Sperm	1 25 @ 1 30
Whale	70 @ 75
Bank	33 @ 45
Shore	28 @ 40
Porgie	35 @ 37
Linseed	@ 63
Boiled do.	@ 66
Lard	60 @ 65
Castor	1 35 @ 1 50
Neatsfoot	1 15 @ 1 30
Elaine	52 @ 54
Paints.	
Port. Lead	@ 7 00
PureGr'd do	7 60 @ 8 00
Pure Dry do.	@ 7 50
Am .Zinc	7 50 @ 9 00
Rochelle Yel.	2½@ 3
Eng.Ven.red	2½@ 3
Red Lead	7 @ 8
Plaster.	
White,⅌ton.	@ 3 00
Blue	2 50 @ 2 75
Grou'd,in bls	7 00 @ 7 50
Calcined,bls.	2 25 @
Produce.	
Beef Side	6 @
Veal	@
Mutton	6 @ 8
Chickens	10 @ 12
Turkeys	12½@ 15
Fowl	8 @ 10
Eggs, ⅌ doz.	22 @ 25
Potatoes,new	80 @ 90
Onions, bbl.	3 50 @ 4 00
Bermuda cr'te	@ none
Round hogs	4½@ 5
Provisions.	
Mess Beef	10 50 @11 00
Ex Mess	11 25 @11 50
Plate	11 50 @11 75
Ex Plate	12 25 @12 25
Pork,	
Backs	14 00 @14 50
Clear	13 25 @13 50
Mess	12 25 @12 50
Hams	8½@ 10
Rice.	
Rice ⅌ lb.	6 @ 7½
Saleratus.	
Salerat's⅌lb	6 @ 7
Salt.	
Turk's isd.⅌ bush. (bd.)	2 00 @ 2 25
Bonaire	
Cadiz,du.pd.	2 00 @ 2 25
Cadiz in b'nd	1 87 @ 2 12
Liverpool.	
Duty paid.	1 50 @ 1 75
In bond	1 25 @ 1 50
Gr'nd butter	16 ⅌ box
Liv.fine sack	1 50 @ 1 75
Seeds.	
Clover,lb.	7½@ 8½
Red Top bag	1 90 @ 2 00
H. Grass, bu.	1 50 @ 1 60
Soap.	
ExSt'mR'f'd.	@ 6¾
Family	@ 7
No. 1	@ 6½
Spices.	
Cassia, pure,	30 @ 32½
Cloves	43 @ 45
Ginger	10 @ 12
Mace	1 00 @ 1 90
Nutmegs	90 @ 95
Pepper	18 @ 20
Starch.	
Pearl	6 @ 8
Sugar.	
Granulated	@ 8⅞
Extra C	@ 8½
C	6¾@ 7⅞
Syrups	@ 50
Shot.	
Drop	6¼ @ 6½
Buck	7¼ @ 7½
Teas.	
Souchong	25 @ 45
Oolong	25 @ 30
do choice.	35 @ 45
Japan	25 @ 30
do choice.	30 @ 45
Tin.	
Straits	17 @ 18
English	16 @ 18
Char. I. C.	7 00 @ 7 50
Char. I. X.	9 00 @ 9 75
Terne	7 00 @ 7 50
Coke	6 00 @ 6 50
Antimony	15 @ 16
Zinc	7 00 @ 7 50
Tobacco.	
Fives and tens,	
Best brands	65 @ 75
Medium	55 @ 60
Common	48 @ 52
Half lb	50 @ 55
Nat'l Leaf	90 @ 1 00
Navy lbs.	55 @ 62
Varnish.	
Damar	1 25 @ 2 50
Coach	2 25 @ 5 50
Furniture	1 25 @ 2 50
Wool.	
Fl'ce wash'd	30 @ 31
do unwash'd	20 @ 22
Pull'd Super	33 @ 43
Lamb Skins	@

Dry Goods Wholesale Market.

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Brown Cottons.	
Sheetings, width,	price.
Standard, 36in	7 @ 7½
Heavy ..36 in	6½@ 6
Medium.36 in	5½@ 6
Fine...36 in	5 @ 6
Shirting, 28 in	4½@ 6
Flannels heavy	22½@ 20
" medium	12½@ 20
Bleached Cotton.	
Good ....36 in	7½@ 10
Medium. 36 in	6 @ 8
Light....36 in	5½@ 7
Sheetings.. 9-8	8½@ 12½
" 5-4	10½@ 14
" 10-4	20 @ 25
Miscellaneous.	
Denims. good	13 @ 15
" medium	11 @ 14
Corset Jean, Bleached and slate	6½@ 7½
Brown	6½@ 7½
Sateens, Bleached and brown	7½@ 8½
Cambric	4½@ 5

Ginghams,good	8½@ 9½
Ticking, good.	14 @ 15
Medium	10 @ 12½
Light	7½@ 10
Bags, good	17 @ 19
Prints best	5½@ 6
" medium	4½@ 5
" common.	4 @ 4
Pink and buff	5 @ 6
Blankets	
Camp, 7 ft.	85 @1 00
Colored ⅌ pr.	1 75 @2 50
White 10-4	1 50 @9 00
Cotton Batting.	
50lb bales, 1 lb rolls	8 @ 12
Warp Yarn	16½@ 18
Twine	18 @ 19
Wicking	22 @ 25
Frockings.	
" 7-8	45 @ 60
Crash.	
Heavy	12½@ 16
Medium	6½@ 10
Drills.	
Brown heavy30.	8½@ 9
Medium...30.	7½@ 8½

Portland Daily Press Stock List

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Descriptions.	*Par Value.*	*Offered.*	*Asked.*
Gold		100	100
Government 6's, 1881		106⅝	106⅞
Government 5-20's, July, 1867		101½	101¾
Government 5-20's, July, 1868		102	102¼
Government 10-40's		104¼	104½
State of Maine Bonds		112½	113½
Portland City Bonds, Municipal		105	110
Portland City Bonds, aid R. R.		104½	106½
Bath City Bonds		104	105
Bangor City Bonds, 20 years		105	106
Calais City Bonds		102	103½
Cumberland National Bank	40	50	52
Canal National Bank	100	140	142
First National Bank	100	129	131
Casco National Bank	100	130	132
Merchant's National Bank	75	104	106
National Traders' Bank	100	129	131
Portland Company		70	80
Portland Gas Company	50	67	70
Ocean Insurance Company	100	98	100
A. & K. R. R. Bonds		101	103
Maine Central R. R. Stock	100	14	15
Maine Central R. R. Bonds 7's		94	97
Leeds & Farmington R.R.Bonds	100	95	97
Portland & Ken. R.R. Bonds	100	101	103
Rumford Falls & B. R. R. Receiver, 1st 7s		95	96

IN BANKRUPTCY.

IN BANKRUPTCY.—District Court of the United States, District of Maine. In the matter of Moses A. Pennett, Bankrupt.

This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court this seventeenth day of February, 1879, by Moses A. Pennett of Portland, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said Petition,

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the seventh day of April, A. D 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District, at 10 o'clock A. M., and that notice thereof be published in the Portland Advertiser and the Portland Press, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Advertiser and Press, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE,
Clerk of District Court, for said District.
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IN BANKRUPTCY.—District Court of the United States, District of Maine. In the matter of Thomas K. Law, Bankrupt

This is to give notice that a petition has been presented to the Court, this Thirteenth day of January, by Thomas K. Law, of Gorham, a Bankrupt, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts, provable under the Bankrupt Act, and upon reading said Petition,

It is ordered by the Court that a hearing be had upon the same, on the Seventh day of April, A. D. 1879, before the Court in Portland, in said District at 10 o'clock A M, and that notice thereof be published in the Portland Advertiser and the Portland Press, newspapers printed in said District, once a week for three successive weeks, and once in the weekly Advertiser and Press, the last publication to be thirty days at least before the day of hearing, and that all creditors who have proved their debts and other persons in interest, may appear at said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said Petition should not be granted.

WM. P. PREBLE,
Clerk of District Court, for said District.
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COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

STATE OF MAINE. CUMBERLAND, SS.

IN the case of David G Drinkwater of Portland in the County of Cumberland, Insolvent Debtor.

Notice is hereby given that a petition has, on this Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1879, been presented to said Court for said County by David G. Drinkwater of Portland in the County of Cumberland, praying that he may be decreed to have a full discharge from all his debts provable under the Insolvent Act of the State of Maine, approved February 21, 1878, and upon said Petition, *it is ordered* by said Court that a hearing be had upon the same before said Court, at the Probate Court room in Portland in said County of Cumberland, on MONDAY, the Seventeenth day of March, A D 1879, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Portland Daily Press and Daily Eastern Argus, newspapers published in said County of Cumberland, once a week for three successive weeks, the last publication to be ten days at least before the day of hearing; and that all creditors who have proved their debts, and other persons interested, may appear at said place and time, and show cause, if any they have, why a discharge should not be granted said Debtor according to the prayer of his petition.

Attest: HORACE J. BRADBURY,
Register of said Court of said County of Cumberland.
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STATE OF MAINE.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 18th, 1879.

THIS is to give notice, that on the Seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Herbert Knowland of Portland in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on his own petition, filed on the fifteenth day of January, A. D. 1879, to which last named date interest on claims is to be computed: That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in said Portland, on MONDAY, the third day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E. R. BROWN,
Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.
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STATE OF MAINE.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 18th, A. D. 1879.

THIS is to give notice, that on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Enos L Jordan of Cape Elizabeth in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on his own petition filed on the seventeenth day of January, A. D 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in Portland in said County, on MONDAY, the third day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon

Given under my hand the date first above written.

E. R. BROWN,
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STATE OF MAINE.

COURT OF INSOLVENCY.

CUMBERLAND SS. February 18th, A. D. 1879.

THIS is to give notice, that on the seventeenth day of February, A. D. 1879 a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Merritt A. Kennard of Portland, in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on his own petition, filed on the fourteenth day of February, A. D. 1879 to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; That a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in said Portland, on MONDAY, the third day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written

E. R BROWN, Deputy Sheriff,
As Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland. fe18&25-2t

STATE OF MAINE.

CUMBERLAND, SS: February 18. A. D., 1879.

This is to give notice, that on the fifteenth day of February, A. D 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Joel Osman Cobb, of Portland, in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor on his own petition filed on the fifteenth day of February, A. D. 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed; That the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a Meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court Room in said Portland on MONDAY, the third day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Given under my hand the date first above written.

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Deputy Sheriff, as Messenger of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland.
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STATE OF MAINE.

CUMBERLAND, SS. February 18, A D 1879.

THIS is to give notice, that on the seventeenth day of February, A. D 1879, a Warrant in Insolvency was issued by Nathan Cleaves, Judge of the Court of Insolvency for said County of Cumberland, against the estate of Frederick A. W. Johnson, of Portland, in said County, adjudged to be an Insolvent Debtor, on his own petition, filed on the twenty-ninth day of January, A. D. 1879, to which date interest on claims is to be computed, that the payment of any debts and the delivery and transfer of any property belonging to said Debtor, to him or for his use, and the delivery and transfer of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the Creditors of said Debtor, to prove their debts and choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a Court of Insolvency to be holden at the Probate Court room in said Portland, on MONDAY, the third day of March, A. D. 1879, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

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PAYSON TUCKER, Supt.
Portland, Feb 17, 1879. fel5dtf

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